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SUBJECT: COMBINED INSPECTION 50-277/95-15 AND 50-278/95-15

Dear Mr. Smith:

This letter transmits the findings of the resident safety inspection conducted by Messrs. W. L. Schmidt, F. P. Bonnett, and R. K. Lorson, from June 25 through August 12, 1995, at the Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station, Delta, Pennsylvania. The inspectors based these independent findings on observation of activities, interviews, and document reviews, and discussed them with Mr. G. Edwards of your staff, on August 21, 1995.

The results of this inspection demonstrated that your staff operated both units safely, by conducting activities well in the areas of operation, maintenance and surveillance, engineering, and plant support. Of particular note were: strong shift management and engineering responses to degraded equipment conditions, excellent maintenance routine work activities, and excellent performance during your annual emergency preparedness drill.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter and its enclosures will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

We appreciate your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Original signed by:

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