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SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORT 50-382/95-08 AND NOTICE OF VIOLATION

This refers to the inspection conducted by Mr. T. W. Pruett and others of this office on August 20 through September 30, 1995, at the Waterford Steam Electric Station, Unit 3, facility. The purpose of the inspection was to determine whether activities authorized by the license were conducted safely and in accordance with NRC requirements. At the conclusion of the inspection, the findings were discussed with those members of your staff identified in the enclosed report.

Areas examined during the inspection are identified in the report. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observation of activities in progress.

Based on the results of this inspection, three examples of the failure to follow a procedure were identified. The violation is cited in the enclosed Notice of Violation (Notice) and the circumstances surrounding it are described in detail in the subject inspection report. The first example occurred because the personnel failed to properly store ladders and other loose items that had the potential to affect safety-related components in the reactor auxiliary building. This issue is being cited because corrective actions have been less than fully effective in preventing repeated occurrences of inadequate housekeeping practices. The second example occurred because maintenance personnel failed to appropriately use the specified substitute measuring and test equipment when the equipment described in the maintenance procedure was unavailable. This issue is being cited because it demonstrates the potential for your staff to use the incorrect equipment during the performance of surveillance testing. The third example occurred because test personnel failed to verify that measuring and test instruments were calibrated as required by the procedure prerequisites. This issue is being cited because it demonstrated a lack of procedural compliance and attention to details by testing personnel.

An unresolved item was identified for NRC review of the locked valve program. Personnel had removed the support that held a valve locking device without coordinating with operations. This issue is discussed in Section 2.3.

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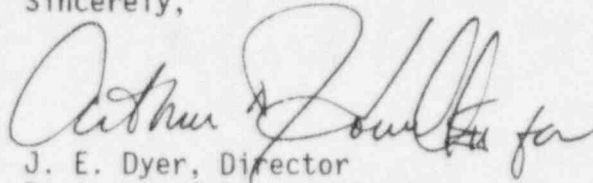
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The responses directed by this letter and the enclosed Notice are not subject to the clearance procedures of the Office of Management and Budget as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980, Pub. L. No. 96.511.

Should you have any questions concerning this inspection, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,



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Enclosures:

1. Notice of Violation
2. NRC Inspection Report
50-382/95-08

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