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SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORT 50-382/95-18 AND NOTICE OF VIOLATION

This refers to the special inspection conducted by Messrs. T. W. Dexter and D. W. Schaefer of this office on November 13-17, 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. The inspection included a review of your access authorization program. At the conclusion of the inspection, the findings were discussed with those members of your staff identified in the enclosed report.

The access authorization program areas examined during the inspection are identified in the report. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures, representative records, randomly selected samples of background investigations, interviews with personnel, observations of activities in progress, and independent verification of personal reference checks by screening contractors.

Based on the results of this inspection, the NRC has determined that one violation of NRC requirements occurred. 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 violation is of concern because it involved personnel, not under an approved continuous behavioral observation program for an extended period, that continued to have unescorted access to protected and vital areas.

The inspectors also reviewed a self-identified event involving the failure to administer a fitness-for-duty test before granting an individual unescorted access to your site, which is in violation of your physical security plan and the fitness-for-duty rule (10 CFR 26). This violation is being treated as a noncited violation consistent with Section VII of the NRC Enforcement Policy. Your staff took prompt and effective actions to correct this self-identified violation.

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 (PDR).

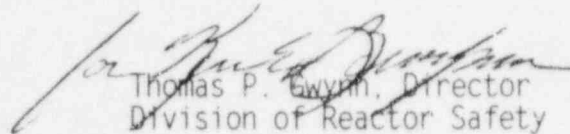
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Should you have any questions concerning this inspection, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,


Thomas P. Gwynn, Director
Division of Reactor Safety

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Enclosures:

1. Notice of Violation
2. NRC Inspection Report
50-382/95-18
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