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Duke Power Company  
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SIR: NOTICE OF VIOLATION  
(NRC INSPECTION REPORT NOS. 50-269/92-10, 50-270/92-10,  
50-287/92-10)

As to the inspection conducted by P. E. Harmon of this office on  
March 29 - April 25, 1992. The inspection included a review of activities  
authorized for your Oconee facility. At the conclusion of the inspection, the  
findings were discussed with those members of your staff identified in the  
enclosed inspection 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, certain activities appeared to be in violation  
of NRC requirements, as specified in the enclosed Notice of Violation (Notice).

You are required to respond to this letter and should follow the instructions  
specified in the enclosed Notice when preparing your response. In your response,  
you should document the specific actions taken and any additional actions you  
plan to prevent recurrence. After reviewing your response to this Notice, including  
your proposed corrective actions and the results of future inspections, the NRC will  
determine whether further NRC enforcement action is necessary to ensure  
compliance with NRC regulatory requirements.

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.

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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 letter, please contact us.

Sincerely,

*orig signed by A. Herdt*

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Enclosures:

1. Notice of Violation
2. NRC Inspection Report

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