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In the Matter of  
PUBLIC SERVICE ELECTRIC AND GAS CO. ET AL.  
(Hope Creek Generating Station, Unit I)  
Docket No. 50-354-0L

Gentlemen:

For your information, attached is a memorandum from Richard W. Starostecki, Director, Division of Project and Resident Programs to Darrell G. Eisenhut, Director, Division of Licensing, regarding an anonymous letter expressing concerns with management capability of the Applicant in this proceeding. A copy of this anonymous letter is also attached.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure: As stated

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Darrell G. Eisenhut, Director, Division of Licensing

FROM: Richard W. Starostecki, Director, Division of Project and Resident Programs

SUBJECT: ANONYMOUS LETTER REGARDING SALEM MANAGEMENT

On December 31, 1984, I received an anonymous letter (unsigned) addressed to the Public Advocate of the State of New Jersey expressing concerns about Public Service Electric and Gas Co. management of the Salem Station. The Public Advocate is an intervenor and has put forth contentions in the licensing of Hope Creek relating to the management of PSE&G who would be operating both Salem and Hope Creek under one organization. Since this matter addresses both facilities, I am providing it to you for your information. Based on the subjective and opinionated nature of the concerns expressed, without identifying any specific examples, and recognizing the aggressive steps we are pursuing in this area for Salem, I am not treating this as an allegation. For the Salem facility, I believe that our forthcoming management briefing will highlight with more specificity the nature and extent of our concerns with management. I expect to have a discussion paper ready within a few days. For Hope Creek licensing, I anticipate that we will have to jointly address the matter before the ASLB.

By copy of this memo, I am giving the incoming letter wider distribution due to the interest it may generate.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Richard W. Starostecki".

Richard W. Starostecki, Director  
Division of Project and  
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December 24, 1984  
Mr. J. Rodriguez  
Public Advocate, N.J.

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The following is a profile of the management of the PSE&G Nuclear Department who are responsible for the repeat problems of the Salem Nuclear site. It seems they get promoted after each mistake. You can be sure of that if you look at the evidence (in documents and interviews) in PSE&G or with M.A.C. who prepared the white wash for the N.R.C.

Vice President Nuclear: Has no experience in nuclear-never handled this site organization before-does not decide unless he checks with his assistant.

Assistant Vice President: He can never make a decision-has a bad track record-psychologically unstable-has backing in the company upper management.

General Manager Quality Assurance: Has no quality assurance background or management-friend of vice president-playboy attitude-does not lead his department-cannot make decisions.

General Manager Salem Station: Experienced in operation-does not have discipline in his organization-wants production above safety and regulation.

General Manager Engineering: Likes to assign all his work-does not manage-playboy attitude-does not like to work-has poor track record.

General Manager Services: Experienced in operation-present responsibility too big, cannot cope.

Assistant General Manager Hope Creek Transition: Does not know how to manage-makes a lot of mistakes-very arrogant.

Assistant General Manager Nuclear Engineering: Cannot make decisions-very disorganized-bad track record.

Please get rid of the incompetent nuclear management before another Three Mile Island happens at Artificial Island.

cc: Sen. J. Biden  
Wilmington, Del.  
Barbara Curran  
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R. Starosteki  
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