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Carolina Power and Light Company  
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Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: NOTICE OF VIOLATION  
(NRC INSPECTION REPORT NOS. 50-325/92-15 AND  
50-324/92-15)

This refers to the inspection conducted by Richard L. Prevatte of this office on May 2 - June 4, 1992. The inspection included a review of activities authorized for your Brunswick facility. 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, certain of your activities appeared to be in violation of NRC requirements, as specified in the enclosed Notice of Violation (Notice). We are concerned about violations A and B, for both the omission of certain components from your inservice inspection program and the failure to perform a required engineering evaluation are indicative of further engineering weaknesses. Also of concern is the inadequate control of safety-related systems which is depicted in violations C (involving procedural control inadequacies) and D (involving configuration control inadequacies). A review of the examples encompassed by these two violations, in conjunction with other examples identified in the enclosed report involving nonsafety-related systems, indicates a negative trend in systems control. In addition, it is apparent that a number of these examples involve Operations personnel and exhibit previously identified problems with double verification of clearances and procedural usage.

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

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actions taken and any additional actions you plan to prevent recurrence. Additionally, your response to violations C and D should address what actions are being taken to reverse the apparent negative trend in systems control. 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, its enclosures, and any reply will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

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,

Original signed by:  
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Luis A. Reyes, Director  
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Enclosures:

1. Notice of Violation
2. Inspection Report

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