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Report of Interview

Mr. Charles H. Weil, Investigation and Allegation Coordinator, Region III, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, was telephonically interviewed concerning his knowledge of an allegation that during the Construction Appraisal Team (CAT) inspection of Perry Nuclear Power Plant, Units 1 and 2, a CAT member, [redacted] belittled the complaints of quality control inspectors. Weil provided the following information during the interview:

As a result of an article in the November 23, 1983, Cleveland Plain Dealer, Weil participated in an interview of an alleger who was a former quality control inspector for the L.K. Comstock Company, the electrical contractor at Perry Nuclear Power Plant. For the most part, the interview pertained to technical concerns of the alleger; however, during the interview the alleger stated he overheard at CAT member, believed to be [redacted] state to [redacted] the Comstock Company [redacted] that the Comstock inspectors' problems were "a lot of bitching of work intimidation, harassment, poor pay, and low morale." The alleger elaborated to Weil that during the CAT inspection he was interviewed by [redacted] concerning working conditions. The alleger considered the information he provided [redacted] to be confidential. However, later during the CAT inspection the alleger observed [redacted] enter [redacted] office, sit down, and make the above quoted statement. The alleger asserted that [redacted] attitude when he made the comment served to lessen the significant of the quality control inspector's concerns. The alleger also considered the discussion between [redacted] and [redacted] to be inappropriate because it took place informally and because [redacted] and [redacted] were friends as a result of working together previously. Additionally, the alleger considered an inspection by [redacted] of the Comstock Company as being improper because [redacted] was formally employed by the Comstock Company.

Weil was unable to provide any further information concerning the allegation and stated the December 14, 1983, memorandum from A. Bert Davis, Deputy Regional Administrator, Region III, to James G. Partlow, Deputy Director, Division of Quality Assurance, Safeguards and Inspection Programs, IE, accurately recounted the details surrounding the allegation.

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