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OFFICE OF INSPECTION AND ENFORCEMENT
NOTIFICATION OF SIGNIFICANT ENFORCEMENT ACTION

Licensee: Iowa Electric Light and Power Company
Duane Arnold Energy Center
Docket No. 50-331

Subject: PROPOSED IMPOSITION OF CIVIL PENALTY - $25,000

This is to inform the Commission that a Notice of Violation and Proposed Imposition of Civil Penalty in the amount of $25,000 will be issued on or about October 29, 1984 to Iowa Electric Light and Power Company. This action involves events associated with a personnel error which rendered both trains of the Standby Liquid Control System inoperable.

It should be noted that the licensee has not been specifically informed of the enforcement action. The Regional Administrator has been authorized by the Deputy Director, Office of Inspection and Enforcement to sign this action. The schedule of issuance and notification is:

Mailing of Notice	October 29, 1984
Telephone Notification of Licensee	October 29, 1984

A news release has been prepared and will be issued about the time the licensee receives the Notice. The State of Iowa will be notified.

The licensee has thirty days from the date of the Notice in which to respond. Following NRC evaluation of the response, the civil penalty may be remitted, mitigated, or imposed by Order.

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