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J. G. Davis, Deputy Director for Field Operations, RO:HQ

RO INSPECTION REPORT NO. 50-219/73-12 JERSEY CENTRAL POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY MORRISTOWN, NEW JERSEY

Subject Inspection Report is enclosed for your action. We recommend the imposition of a \$4,000 civil penalty.

Other enclosures include Carlson's memo to me showing justification for the penalty, and our recommendations for the wording and format of the documentation. We modeled the documentation on the September 6, 1973 letter imposing a civil penalty on Theodore R. Schwalm, Inc..

I am of the strong view that a citation for "Failure to Report" has broad and beneficial safety implications for Regulatory. A major fine on this issue should result in more prompt and accurate reports from all nuclear reactors.

James P. O'Reilly Director

cc: C. Kuhlmann, RO A/A Performance Eval.

H. D. Thornburg, RO Field Support and Enforcement Branch

Enclosures:

- 1. RO Inspection Raport No. 50-219/73-12
- 2. Memo, Carlson to O'Reilly
- 3. Draft of Documentation w/2 Appendices

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