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JERSEY CENTRAL POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY (OYSTER CREEK)-DOCKET 50-219
INSPECTION OF ALLEGATIONS OF RADIOLOGICAL VIOLATIONS

On February 12, 1973, our Region I (Newark) Office received an anonymous letter alleging numerous instances of improper storage of radwaste, poor radiological housekeeping and unnecessary exposure of personnel to radiation in connection with the operation of the Oyster Creek reactor facility. A special inspection was conducted by RO on February 13-16, during which many of these allegations were found to be substantive. The enclosed memorandum provides a general summary of the deficiencies identified during the inspection. A detailed inspection report is currently in preparation by Region I and will be forwarded to you shortly.

In view of the nature and number of the deficiencies identified, senior representatives from our Region I Office met with Jersey Central corporate management on March 1, 1973, to discuss the inspection findings. During the meeting Jersey Central stated that action had already been implemented to correct the specific identified deficiencies and that appropriate managerial action was being taken to preclude a recurrence.

Timely enforcement action is being taken with respect to all identified deficiencies and a follow-up inspection is in progress to verify that the necessary corrective action has been completed.

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