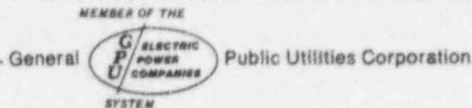


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August 6, 1974

Mr. Robert T. Carlson, Chief
Facility Construction and Engineering, Support Branch
United States Atomic Energy Commission
Directorate of Regulatory Operations, Region 1
631 Park Avenue
King of Prussia, Pennsylvania 19406

Dear Mr. Carlson:

Subject: Oyster Creek Station
Docket No. 50-219
RO Inspection Report No. 50-219/74-8
and Your Letter Dated July 2, 1974

In reference to the concern in your letter of July 2, 1974, Jersey Central Power & Light Company is in the process of writing and implementing procedures which will establish a formal Quality Assurance Program in the Jersey Central Power & Light Company Generation Department that satisfies the requirements of 10CFR50, Appendix B.

One objective of the Quality Assurance Program is to control and minimize administrative oversights and, therefore, satisfy part of your concern. With respect to the aspect of your concern and as inferred in our letter of June 12, 1974, Jersey Central Power & Light Company does not agree with the second violation (relating to the calibration block) as stated in the RO Inspection Report No. 50-219/74-8, but does appreciate the need for a complete In-Service Inspection Program reevaluation which will update and clarify our position.

Very truly yours,

Donald A. Ross
Manager, Nuclear Generating Stations

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