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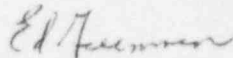
JERSEY CENTRAL POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY OYSTER CREEK  
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This was a special inspection to review licensee plans and procedures and initial spent fuel shipment. One infraction related to the overhead crane was identified. Observations indicated that initial shipment was conducted in an orderly manner.

As an over view the licensee did not do adequate homework regarding requirements and procedural coverage. Procurement of necessary documentation would not have been completed had we not made this inspection, and probably delayed shipment by at least one day. Additionally, there was no excuse for failure to complete crane requirements, when the JCP&L application dated December 1972 stated work was already in progress. I think this points out the necessity for verification on many such items.

I feel that we have two additional outstanding concerns:

1. Development of a good inspection plan for fuel shipment. Guidance is lacking and this area has received little attention before by other Branches.
2. Concern regarding motor carrier reliability - Updates from the plant indicate numerous truck breakdowns. I believe IE:HQ should be formally advised of problems in this area.



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