In Reply Refer To: Docket: 50-382/87-30

Louisiana Power & Light Company ATTN: J. G. Dewease, Senior Vice President Nuclear Operations 317 Baronne Street New Orleans, Louisiana 70160

Gentlemen:

This refers to the inspection conducted by Mr. R. C. Stewart of this office during the period November 30 through December 4, 1987, of activities authorized by NRC Operating License NPF-38 for the Waterford Steam Electric Station, Unit 3, and to the discussion of our findings with Mr. C. Gaines and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during the inspection included review of actions taken to implement reactor vessel pressure transient protection and a followup inspection of a previously unresolved item. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examination of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the NRC inspector. The inspection findings are documented in the enclosed inspection report.

Within the scope of the inspection, no violations or deviations were identified.

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Should you have any questions concerning this inspection, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By L. J. Callan

L. J. Callan, Director Division of Reactor Projects

Enclosure: (see next page)

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