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Docket Nos. 50-338, 50-339 License Nos. NPF-4, NPF-7

Virginia Electric and Power Company
ATTN: Mr. W. L. Stewart, Vice President,
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Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: NOTICE OF VIOLATION

(NRC INSPECTION REPORT NOS. 50-338/87-38 AND 50-339/87-38)

This refers to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) inspection conducted by J. L. Caldwell on November 20 - December 18, 1987. The inspection included a review of activities authorized for your North Anna facility. At the conclusion of the inspection, the findings were discussed with those members of your staff identified in the enclosed inspection report.

Areas examined during the inspection are identified in the report. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observation of activities in progress.

The inspection findings indicate that certain activities appeared to violate NRC requirements. The violations, references to pertinent requirements, and elements to be included in your response are described in the enclosed Notice of Violation.

The violations involving failure to place inoperable steam flow detectors in trip and perform adequate post maintenance testing is under consideration for escalated enforcement action. Accordingly, no Notice of Violation is being issued at this time for these violations. However, please be advised that the number and characterization of the subject violations described in the enclosed Inspection Report may change as a result of further NRC review. An Enforcement Conference to discuss this violation has been scheduled for January 21, 1988, at 9:30 a.m.

Your attention is invited to the unresolved item identified in the inspection report. This matter will be pursued during future inspections.

In accordance with Section 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, a copy of this letter and its enclosures will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

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The responses directed by this letter and its enclosures are not subject to the clearance procedures of the Office of Management and Budget as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980, Pub. L. No. 96-511.

Should you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact us.

Sincerely,

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J. Nelson Grace Regional Administrator

Enclosures:

Notice of Violation
 NRC Inspection Report

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