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Docket No. 50-354

Public Service Electric & Gas Company ATTN: Mr. C. A. McNeill, Jr. Vice President - Nuclear Post Office Box 236 Hancocks Bridge, New Jersey 08038

Gentlemen:

Subject: Inspection Report No. 50-354/86-03

This refers to the routine safety inspection conducted by Mr. D. Florek of this office on January 7 - 17, 1986 at the Hope Creek Generating Station, Hancocks Bridge, New Jersey of activities authorized by NRC License No. CPPR-120 and to the discussions of our findings held by Mr. Florek with Mr. R. Salvesen and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection and to a subsequent discussion between Messrs. L. Bettenhausen and S. LaBruna on February 27, 1986.

Areas examined during this inspection are described in the NRC Region I Inspection Report which is enclosed with this letter. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspector.

Based on the results of this inspection, it appears that one of your activities was not conducted in full compliance with NRC requirements, as set forth in the Notice of Violation, enclosed herewith as Appendix A. This violation has been categorized by severity level in accordance with the revised NRC Enforcement Policy (10 CFR 2, Appendix C) published in the Federal Register Notice (49 FR 8583) dated March 8, 1984. You are required to respond to this letter within 30 days of receipt and in preparing your response, you should follow the instructions in Appendix A.

The responses directed by this letter and the accompanying Notice are not subject to the clearance procedures of the Office of Management and Budget as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980, PL 96-511.

Your cooperation with us in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By: Lee H. Bettenhausen

for Stewart D. Ebneter, Director Division of Reactor Safety

Enclosure: NRC Region I Inspection Report Number 50-354/86-03

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