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Docket No. 50-395 License No. NPF-12

South Carolina Electric and Gas Company
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Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: NOTICE OF VIOLATION

(NRC INSPECTION REPORT NO. 50-395/88-03)

This refers to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) inspection conducted by R. L. Prevatte from January 5-31, 1988. The inspection included a review of activities authorized by NRC Operating License No. NPF-12 for your V. C. Summer Nuclear Facility. At the conclusion of the inspection, the findings were discussed with those members of your staff identified in the enclosed 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 violated NRC requirements. The violations, reference to pertinent requirements, and elements to be included in your response are presented in the enclosed Notice of Violation.

The first violation described in the enclosed Notice is similar to a violation contained in a Notice sent to you by our letter dated October 15, 1987. Because "similar violations," as described in the NRC Enforcement Policy, are of significant concern to the NRC, please give particular attention in your response to the identification of the root cause of this problem and your corrective action to prevent recurrence.

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.

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

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

Sincerely,

Original Signed by Luis A. Reyes

Luis A. Reyes, Director Division of Reactor Projects

Enclosures:

Notice of Violation
 NRC Inspection Report

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