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Docket No. 50-423
License No. NPF-44

Northeast Nuclear Energy Company
ATTN: Mr. John F. Opeka
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Gentlemen:

Subject: Inspection 50-423/85-74 (11/19/85-1/6/86)

This refers to the routine inspection by Messrs. T. Rebelowski, F. Casella, and J. Shedlosky of this office from November 19, 1985 to January 6, 1986 at the Millstone Point Nuclear Power Station, Unit 3, and to the discussions of findings with Mr. Crockett and other members of your staff during and at the conclusion of the inspection.

It appears that certain of your activities violated NRC requirements as set forth in the Notices of Violation enclosed as Appendices A and B. The Violations of Appendix B contain Safeguards Information and will not be discussed in this letter except to state that we believe both are isolated cases.

The Violations in Appendix A are indicative of problems which, if uncorrected, could become safety concerns. The first identifies lapses in cleanliness control when safety-related systems are open. In your response, please include details of long term corrective actions to enhance personnel knowledge and understanding of cleanliness requirements. The second Violation in Appendix A concerns a failure to follow procedures and to take thorough corrective actions when a Plant Equipment Operator found a Diesel Fuel Oil System valve mispositioned. This did not result in management directed follow-up to evaluate the reason for the mispositioning and to assess the potential for other valves being out of position. Please address this in your response.

Your cooperation with us in these matters is appreciated.

Sincerely, **Original Signed By:**

Thomas C. Wenzinger

for Edward C. Wenzinger, Chief
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Enclosures:

- 1. Appendix A, Notice of Violation
- 2. Appendix B, Notice of Violation*
- 3. NRC Region I Inspection Report 50-423/85-74*

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cc (w/o Appendix B and Page 17 of Enclosure 3):*

- V. Papadopolli, Construction Quality Assurance Supervisor ✓
- E. R. Foster, Director of Generation Construction ✓
- W. J. Mroczka, Vice President, Nuclear Operations ✓
- D. O. Nordquist, Manager of Quality Assurance ✓
- R. T. Laudenat, Manager, Generation Facilities Licensing ✓
- W. D. Romberg, Station Superintendent ✓
- Public Document Room (PDR) ✓
- Local Public Document Room (LPDR) ✓
- Nuclear Safety Information Center (NSIC) ✓
- NRC Senior Resident Inspector (w/cy of encls)* ✓
- State of Connecticut ✓

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bcc (w/o Appendix B and Page 17 of Enclosure 3):*

- Region I Docket Room (with concurrences) ✓
- Management Assistant, DRMA (w/o encl)* ✓
- DRP Section Chief
- G. Walton, SRI, BV-2 ✓
- T. Shedlosky, SRI, Millstone 1&2 ✓
- E. Doolittle, LPM, NRR ✓
- P. Eselgroth, RI ✓
- J. Johnson, RI ✓
- M. McBride, SRI, Pilgrim ✓
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