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Gentlemen:

Subject: NPC Region I Combined Inspection Report Nos. 50-317/88-19 and
50-318/88-19

This transmits the August 9 - September 12, 1988 resident inspection findings by Messrs. D. Trimble, V. Pritchett and Ms. M. Slosson at the Calvert Cliffs Nuclear Power Plant, Lusby, Maryland. Those findings were based on observation of activities, interviews, and document reviews, which have been discussed with Mr. Russell of your staff.

An apparent violation of NRC requirements involving a failure to follow procedures with respect to disabling of containment door interlocks is cited in Appendix A and categorized under the NRC Enforcement Policy, 10 CFR 2 Appendix C. A reply is required in accordance with Appendix A. The requirement that you reply is exempt from clearance by the Office of Management and Budget under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980, PL 96-511.

We have observed, since the beginning of 1988, a significant number of procedural adherence problems (Detail 3 of this report). This is of concern to NRC since it appears to reflect a general weakness in Calvert Cliffs performance. In your response to the enclosed violation please address remedial actions you intend to take to promote strict adherence to procedures.

Your cooperation with us is appreciated.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures:

- 1. Appendix A, Notice of Violation
- 2. NRC Region I Combined Inspection Report Nos. 50-317/88-19 and 50-318/88-19

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