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Docket No. 50-424
License No. NPF-68

✓ Georgia Power Company
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Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: NOTICE OF VIOLATION
(NRC INSPECTION REPORT NO. 50-424/88-39)

This refers to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) inspection conducted by D. C. Ward on August 29 - September 2, 1988. The inspection included a review of activities authorized for your Vogtle 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. Two violations were identified during the inspection. Since all of the criteria for categorization of license identified violations were met, one violation is not being cited. The details pertaining to the licensee identified violation are described in the enclosed Inspection Report (Paragraph 2.f.). The other violation identified by the inspector with pertinent references, is described in the enclosed Notice of Violation. Corrective actions to eliminate the violation and prevent reoccurrence were completed prior to the end of the inspection, therefore, a reply to this Notice of Violation is not required.

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

Sincerely,

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Enclosures:

- 1. Notice of Violation
- 2. NRC Inspection Report

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