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OFFICE OF INSPECTION AND ENFORCEMENT NOTIFICATION OF SIGNIFICANT ENFORCEMENT ACTION

Licensee: Florida Power Corporation Docket No. 50-302

Subject: PROPOSED IMPOSITION OF CIVIL PENALTIES - \$100,000

This is to inform the Commission that a Notice of Violation and Proposed Imposition of Civil Penalties in the amount of One Hundred Thousand Dollars will be issued on or about April 16, 1985 to Florida Power Corporation. This action is based on security violations including degradation in a vital area barrier and failure to take effective compensatory measures. The penalty has been escalated for prior poor performance in the area of concern.

It should be noted that the licensee has not been specifically informed of the enforcement action. The Regional Administrator has been authorized by the Director, Office of Inspection and Enforcement, to sign this action. The schedule of issuance and notification is:

Mailing of Notice	April	16,	1986
Telephone Notification of Licensee	April	16,	1986

A news release has been prepared and will be issued 24 hours after the licensee receives the Notice. The State of Florida will be notified.

The licensee has thirty days from the date of the Notice in which to respond. Following NRC evaluation of the response, the civil penalty may be remitted, mitigated, or imposed by Order.

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