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In Reply Refer To:  
Docket: 50-382/86-33

Louisiana Power & Light Company  
ATTN: J.G. Dewease, Senior Vice President  
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Gentlemen:

This refers to the inspection conducted by Messrs. J. G. Luehman, B. A. Breslau, and T. R. Staker of this office during the period December 1-31, 1986, of activities authorized by NRC Operating License NPF-38 for Waterford Steam Electric Station Unit 3, and to the discussion of our findings with N. S. Carns and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during the inspection included plant status; Licensee Event Report (LER) followup; monthly surveillance; monthly maintenance; routine operational safety inspection; followup on previously identified items; potential generic problems; radiation protection; preparations for refueling; and refueling operations. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examination of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the NRC inspectors. The inspection findings are documented in the enclosed inspection report.

During this inspection, it was found that certain of your activities were in violation of NRC requirements. Consequently, you are required to respond to this violation, in writing, in accordance with the provisions of Section 2.201 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations. Your response should be based on the specifics contained in the Notice of Violation enclosed with this letter.

Also during this inspection, it was found that certain of your activities appeared to deviate from a commitment made to the NRC. This item and reference to the commitment is identified in the enclosed Notice of Deviation. The circumstances surrounding the failure to revise an operating procedure within the time period specified in the Licensee Event Report have been reviewed; therefore, no written response to the Notice of Deviation is required. Management attention should be directed toward ensuring that all commitments to the NRC, especially those involving a significant event such as a loss of shutdown cooling, are completed in a timely manner.

The response directed by this letter and the accompanying Notice is not subject to the clearance procedures of the Office of Management and Budget as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980, PL 96-511.

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Should you have any questions concerning this inspection, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By  
J. E. Gagliardo

J. E. Gagliardo, Chief  
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Enclosures:

1. Appendix A - Notice of Violation
2. Appendix B - Notice of Deviation
3. Appendix C - NRC Inspection Report  
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cc w/enclosures:

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