

APPENDIX A
NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Power Authority of the State
of New York
Indian Point 3 Nuclear Power Plant

Docket No. 50-286
License No. DPR-64

As a result of the inspection conducted on March 14 - 25, 1989, and in accordance with the NRC Enforcement Policy (10 CFR 2, Appendix C, Supplement IV) the following violation was identified:

Technical Specifications, section 6.12, "High Radiation Area", states that any individual permitted to enter high radiation areas shall be provided or accompanied by one or more of the following:

- a. A radiation monitoring device which continuously indicates the radiation dose rate in the area.
- b. A radiation monitoring device which continuously integrates the radiation dose rate in the area and alarms when a preset integrated dose is received. Entry into such areas with this monitoring device may be made after the dose rate level in the area has been established and personnel have been made knowledgeable of them.
- c. An individual qualified in radiation protection procedures who is equipped with a radiation dose rate monitoring device. This individual shall be responsible for providing positive control over the activities within the area and shall perform periodic radiation surveillance at the frequency specified by the facility Health Physicist in the Radiation Work Permit.

Contrary to the above, during the period March 14 - 25, 1989, and for an undetermined time before that period, workers were allowed to enter high radiation areas without being provided or accompanied by one of the options specified in the Technical Specifications, as listed above.

This is a Severity Level IV violation.

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 2.201, New York Power Authority is hereby required to submit to this office within thirty days of the date of the letter which transmitted this notice, a written statement or explanation in reply, including: (1) the corrective steps which have been taken and the results achieved; (2) corrective steps which will be taken to avoid further violations; and (3) the date when full compliance will be achieved. Where good cause is shown, consideration will be given to extending this response time.