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March 4, 1977

PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION OF SAFEGUARDS EVENT--

PNS-77-08

This preliminary notification constitutes EARLY notice of events of POSSIBLE national security or public interest significance. The information presented is as initially received without verification or evaluation and is basically all that is known by IE staff as of this date.

Facility: Northeast Nuclear Energy Company  
Millstone Unit Nos. 1, 2 and 3 (DNs 50-245, 50-336 & CPPR-113)

Subject: BOMB THREAT

At 7:59 p.m. on March 3, 1977, a telephone call was received warning that "a bomb is on the site and it will go off tonight." The call was made by a male to the public telephone located outside of Gate #1. A guard answered the phone and received the call. The Bomb Threat Procedure was initiated and the Waterford Police and Fire Departments, as well as the Connecticut State Police, were called and responded. The FBI has been notified. The site was not evacuated, but a thorough search was conducted at Unit Nos. 1 & 2, and the construction area around Unit No. 3. At 10:23 p.m., The licensee advised that the site was secure, that no suspicious items were found and operations had been returned to normal.

Media interest is expected because of current news interest in the entire nuclear industry. The State of Connecticut has been and is being kept informed. A press release is not planned.

NERC, Region I, Philadelphia, PA received notification of this occurrence by telephone from the licensee at 9:35 p.m., March 3, 1977 and updated information at 10:23 p.m., March 3, 1977.

The IAT was notified at 10:30 p.m., 3/3/77.

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