

December 3, 1999

Mr. Michael J. Colomb
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James A. FitzPatrick Nuclear Power Plant
Post Office Box 41
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SUBJECT: NRC-EVALUATED EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS EXERCISE - INSPECTION
REPORT NO. 50-333/99-11

Dear Mr. Colomb:

The enclosed report documents an inspection for public health and safety, led by Mr. D. Silk at Lycoming, New York. The inspection at the James A. Fitzpatrick Nuclear Power Plant evaluated the performance of your emergency response organization (ERO) during the October 20, 1999, full-participation exercise, the post-exercise critique, and the emergency preparedness performance indicators as specified in the reactor oversight program. The inspectors discussed the findings of this inspection with you and other members of your staff on October 22, 1999.

This inspection was an examination of activities conducted under your license as they relate to safety and compliance with the Commission's rules and regulations and with the conditions of your license. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of a selected examination of procedures and representative records, observations of activities, and interviews with personnel.

No violations of NRC requirements or significant findings were identified. No response to this letter is required.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter and its enclosures will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

Sincerely,

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