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ATTN: Mr. Eugene E. Fitzpatrick
Vice President and Director
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Gentlemen:

Subject: Inspection Report No. 50-219/89-14

This letter refers to the routine safety inspection conducted by Ms. M. Banerjee, Messrs. W. Baunack, E. Collins, A. Della Greca, and D. Lew for the period June 4 through July 1, 1989, at the Oyster Creek Nuclear Generating Station. The inspection, consisting of reviews of documents, interviews of personnel and observations of activities, is documented in the enclosed report. The findings were discussed with you and members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

This inspection focused on reviewing open inspection items that were over three years old. This included items from your response to SALP Report 50-219/85-99. While a number of the issues identified in SALP 85-99 have been substantially resolved, several remain current. These are: instances of slow response to QA findings; the quality of technical support; and rework and recurring maintenance. In one case, your commitment to correct Standby Gas Treatment System logic deficiencies has not been implemented or scheduled. Your attention is required to ensure prompt and adequate resolution of these lingering issues.

Your cooperation with us in these matters is appreciated.

Sincerely,
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Enclosure: NRC Region I Report No. 50-219/89-14

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