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July 22, 2010

Mr. Thomas P. Joyce
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SUBJECT: SALEM/HOPE CREEK GENERATING STATIONS - NRC PHYSICAL
SECURITY BASELINE INSPECTION REPORT 05000272/2010403,
05000311/2010403 AND 05000354/2010403

Dear Mr. Joyce:

On June 25, 2010, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) completed a security baseline inspection at your Salem and Hope Creek Generating Stations. The inspection covered one or more of the key attributes of the security cornerstone of the NRC's Reactor Oversight Process. The enclosed report documents the inspection results, which were discussed on June 25, 2010, with Mr. Paul Davison, Vice President Operations Support, and other members of your staff.

The inspection examined activities conducted under your licenses as they relate to security and compliance with the Commission's rules and regulations and with the conditions of your licenses. The inspectors reviewed selected procedures and records, observed activities, and interviewed personnel.

No findings were identified.

Two licensee-identified violations which were determined to be of very low safety significance are listed in this report. However, because of the very low safety significance and because these violations are entered into your corrective action program, the NRC is treating these violations as non-cited violations (NCVs) consistent with Section VI.A.1 of the NRC Enforcement Policy. If you contest these non-cited violations, you should provide a response within 30 days of the date of this inspection report, with the basis for your denial, to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, ATTN.: Document Control Desk, Washington DC 20555-0001; with copies to the Regional Administrator, Region I; the Director, Office of Enforcement, United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington DC 20555-0001; and the NRC Resident Inspector at Salem-Hope Creek Generating Stations.

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Sincerely,

/RA/

James M. Trapp, Chief
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Division of Reactor Safety

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Enclosure: Inspection Report 05000272/2010403, 05000311/2010403, and
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