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U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
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DEAR MR. PALLADINO*

AS GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NEW
JERSEY, I AM SERIOUSLY CONCERNED

OVER THE INCIDENTS WHICH OCCURED ON FEBRUARY 22 AND 25 AT PUBLIC
SERVICE ELECTRIC AND GAS COMPANY'S SALEM 1 NUCLEAR POWER PLANT. THE
ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION TO INVESTIGATE
THESE INCIDENTS IS CONSISTENT WITH MY BELIEF THAT THE CITIZENS OF
NEW JERSEY MUST BE ASSURED THAT NUCLEAR POWER PLANTS ARE OPERATED
SAFELY.

IT IS MY UNDERSTANDING THAT THE SALEM 1 PLANT WILL NOT BE RETURNED
TO SERVICE WITHOUT NRC APPROVAL. UNTIL THE CAUSE OF THE INCIDENT IS
ASCERTAINED, A FULL REPORT IS ISSUED AND CORRECTIVE MEASURES TAKEN.
I URGE YOU NOT TO ALLOW THE PLANT TO RETURN TO SERVICE.

GOVERNOR THOMAS H KEAY

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