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Mr. James M. Taylor  
Director, Office of Inspection & Enforcement  
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Mr. Taylor:

Subject: Waterford 3 SES  
Docket No. 50-382  
License No. NPF-38  
NRC ENFORCEMENT ACTION (EA 85-10)

Reference: NRC letter EA 85-10 dated 5/24/85, R.D. Martin, NRC Region IV  
to R.S. Leddick, LP&L - transmittal of enforcement package and  
proposed civil penalties.

Pursuant to the provisions 10 CFR 2.201 Louisiana Power & Light Company  
herewith responds to the referenced enforcement package and submits the  
enclosed, "Response to Notice of Violation and Proposed Imposition of Civil  
Penalties". Our reply provides a detailed answer for each alleged  
violation.

This response is submitted under affidavit as required by Section 182 of  
the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.205 LP&L has elected to file its answers by  
denial of the violations in part and kindly requests mitigation of the  
civil penalties. We stand ready to answer any questions on the responses  
or to meet with your Staff for discussion on our mitigation request.

As stated in the transmittal letter, the subject enforcement package is  
unusual in that it was issued after the results of the NRC review had been  
extensively documented and was also unusual in that it involved 20,000  
manhours of effort on the part of the NRC. LP&L's President and Chief  
Executive Officer, Jim Cain joins me in acknowledging the NRC's commitment

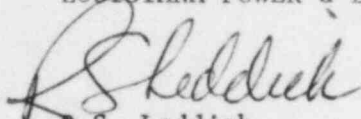
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to resolution of the issues in a timely and professional manner. We recognize the strain this effort has placed on your resources and are appreciative of your willingness to allocate sufficient resources to assure the issues were evaluated, reviewed and resolved both thoroughly and expeditiously.

Respectfully submitted  
LOUISIANA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY



R.S. Leddick  
Senior Vice President - Nuclear

RSL:GEW:sms

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

In the matter of )  
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Louisiana Power & Light Company ) Docket No. 50-382 OL  
Waterford 3 Steam Electric Station )

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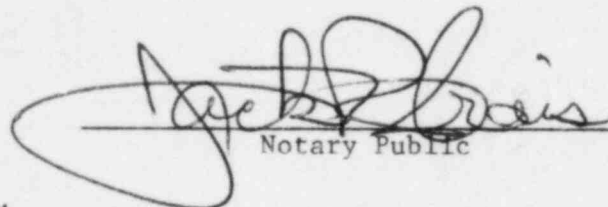
R. S. Leddick, being duly sworn, hereby deposes and says that he is Senior Vice President - Nuclear Operations of Louisiana Power & Light Company; that he is duly authorized to sign and file with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission the Response to Notice of Violation and Proposed Imposition of Civil Penalties EA 851-0; that he is familiar with the content thereof; and that the matters set forth therein are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.



R. S. Leddick  
Senior Vice President  
Nuclear Operations

STATE OF LOUISIANA )  
 ) ss  
PARISH OF ST. CHARLES)

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public in and for the Parish  
and State above named this 19th day of July, 1985.

  
Notary Public

My Commission expires at death.