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September 19, 1996

Mr. J. S. Perry
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SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORTS NO. 50-010/96011(DRS); 50-237/96011(DRS);
50-249/96011(DRS) AND NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Dear Mr. Perry:

On August 30, 1996, the NRC completed a security inspection at your Dresden reactor facilities. The enclosed report presents the results of that inspection.

During the inspection period, security activities observed or reviewed were conducted in an adequate manner. We are concerned, however, about three NRC identified violations. In the first instance, an NRC inspector identified a deficiency in your vehicle barrier system that was missed during several reviews by both security and engineering staff. In the second instance, an NRC inspector identified that an individual was improperly granted unescorted access, due to the misinterpretation of security screening requirements. In the third instance, an NRC inspector identified that a "Sea Van" shipping container was not searched, due to misinterpretation of security searching requirements. When these violations were identified, security management implemented corrective measures that should prevent recurrence.

These violations are cited in the enclosed Notice of Violation, and the circumstances surrounding the violations are described in the enclosed report. We noted that the violations had been corrected and these actions, including your root cause analysis, were reviewed during the inspection. Therefore, no response to these violations are required.

Areas examined during this inspection concern a subject matter which is exempt from disclosure according to 10 CFR 73.21(c)(2). This information must be handled and protected in accordance with the provisions of 10 CFR 73.21. Consequently, the enclosure to this letter and our report of this inspection will not be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

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We will gladly discuss any questions you have concerning this inspection.

Sincerely,

Original Signed by Brent Clayton

Geoffrey E. Grant, Director
Division of Reactor Safety

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