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Mail Station P1-137  
Washington, D.C. 20555

Attention: Document Control Desk

SUBJECT: OPERATING STATUS REPORT

Reference: DOCKET NO. 50-333

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find the James A. FitzPatrick Nuclear Power Plant Operating Status Report for the month of March, 1997.

If there are any questions concerning this report, please contact Yan Gao, System Engineer, at (315) 349-6353.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Michael J. Colomb'.

MICHAEL J COLOMB  
SITE EXECUTIVE OFFICER

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NEW YORK POWER AUTHORITY  
JAMES A. FITZPATRICK NUCLEAR POWER PLANT  
OPERATING DATA REPORT

DOCKET NO.: 50-333  
UNIT NAME: FITZPATRICK  
DATE: April 3, 1997  
COMPLETED BY: YAN GAO  
TELEPHONE: (315)349-6353

OPERATING STATUS

1. Unit Name: FITZPATRICK
2. Reporting Period: 970301 - 970331
3. Licensed Thermal Power (MWT): 2536
4. Nameplate Rating (Gross MWE): 883.0
5. Design Electrical Rating (Net MWE): 816.0
6. Maximum Dependable Capacity (Gross MWE): 826.0
7. Maximum Dependable Capacity (Net MWE): 798.6

NOTES:

8. If changes occur in capacity ratings (Items 3-7) since last report, give reasons:  
\_\_\_\_\_
9. Power level to which restricted, if any (Net MWE): \_\_\_\_\_
10. Reasons for restrictions, if any: \_\_\_\_\_

	THIS MONTH	YR-TO-DATE	CUMULATIVE
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24. Shutdowns scheduled over next 6 months (type, date, and duration of each):  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

25. If shutdown at end of report period, estimated date of startup: \_\_\_\_\_

26. Units in Test Status (prior to commercial operation):

	FORECAST	ACHIEVED
Initial Criticality	_____	_____
Initial Electricity	_____	_____
Commercial Operation	_____	_____

**NEW YORK POWER AUTHORITY  
JAMES A. FITZPATRICK NUCLEAR POWER PLANT  
AVERAGE DAILY UNIT POWER LEVEL**

REPORT MONTH: March, 1997

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UNIT NAME: FITZPATRICK  
DATE: April 2, 1997  
COMPLETED BY: YAN GAO  
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DAY	NET AVERAGE DAILY POWER LEVEL	DAY	NET AVERAGE DAILY POWER LEVEL
1	830	17	830
2	830	18	830
3	830	19	830
4	830	20	830
5	830	21	830
6	829	22	534
7	830	23	748
8	830	24	796
9	830	25	783
10	830	26	825
11	830	27	830
12	830	28	830
13	P30	29	830
14	830	30	831
15	830	31	830
16	830		

NEW YORK POWER AUTHORITY  
JAMES A. FITZPATRICK NUCLEAR POWER PLANT  
UNIT SHUTDOWNS REPORT

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DATE: April 2, 1997  
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NO.	DATE	TYPE	D U H R O A U T R I S T I O N	R E A S O N	METHOD OF SHUTTING DOWN THE REACTOR	LICENSEE EVENT REPORT	S Y C S O T D E E M	C O M C P O D N E N T	CAUSE AND CORRECTIVE ACTION TO PREVENT RECURRENCE

F: FORCED  
S: SCHEDULED

2  
REASON:  
A. EQUIPMENT FAILURE (EXPLAIN)  
B. MAINTENANCE OR TEST  
C. REFUELING  
D. REGULATORY RESTRICTION  
E. OPERATOR TRAINING AND LICENSE EXAMINATION  
F. ADMINISTRATIVE  
G. OPERATIONAL ERROR (EXPLAIN)  
H. OTHER (EXPLAIN)

3  
METHOD:  
1. MANUAL  
2. MANUAL SCRAM  
3. AUTOMATIC SCRAM  
4. CONTINUED  
5. REDUCED LOAD  
9. OTHER

4  
EXHIBIT G -INSTRUCTIONS  
FOR PREPARATION OF DATA ENTRY  
SHEETS FOR LICENSEE EVENT  
REPORT (LER) FILE (NUREG-0161)

NEW YORK POWER AUTHORITY  
JAMES A. FITZPATRICK NUCLEAR POWER PLANT  
NARRATIVE SUMMARY OF OPERATING EXPERIENCE

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The FitzPatrick Plant remained at full power operation for the month of March except for a down power commenced on 3/22 and ended on 3/26 for Control Rod pattern adjustment.