Mr. Robert J. Barrett Site Executive Officer New York Power Authority Indian Point 3 Nuclear Power Plant Post Office Box 215 Buchanan, NY 10511

SUBJECT: CORRECTION TO INDIAN POINT UNIT 3 PLANT PERFORMANCE REVIEW

LETTER

Dear Mr. Barrett:

The purpose of this letter is to correct an error in our March 31, 1999, Plant Performance Review (PPR) letter for Indian Point 3. The characterization of two automatic trips in the last six months was incorrect. The first sentence of the fifth paragraph letter should be corrected to say the following:

The plant operated at essentially full power for the last six months of the assessment period except for the fall refueling outage, an automatic reactor shutdown (i.e. reactor trip) that occurred in August 1999, and an unscheduled maintenance shutdown in November 1999.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (610) 337-5234.

Sincerely,

/RA/

Peter W. Eselgroth, Chief Projects Branch 2 Division of Reactor Projects

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