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In the Matter of
Metropolitan Edison Company, et al.
(Three Mile Island, Unit 1)
Docket No. 50-289

Dear Members of the Board:

This letter is to advise you that the Staff has issued Amendment No. 58 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-50 for the Three Mile Island Nuclear Station Unit No. 1 (TMI-1). The amendment revises the Technical Specifications to permit the establishment of the General Public Utilities Group through which the operating and management responsibility for TMI-1 will be implemented for the licensee. The Staff's conclusion regarding the acceptability of the management reorganization pertains only to the facility in its shutdown status. The Staff's review of the licensee's management capability to operate TMI-1 is not yet complete. A copy of the amendment and a copy of the Staff's Safety Evaluation supporting the amendment are enclosed for your information.

These modifications to the TMI-1 Technical Specifications involve matters related to the subject matter of TMI-1 restart proceeding. Thus, the Staff's approval of the changes may be modified by the Board as appropriate for the purpose of the proceeding.

Sincerely,

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