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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Attn: Document Control Desk  
Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Sir or Madam:

**SUBJECT: THREE MILE ISLAND UNIT I (TMI UNIT 1)  
OPERATING LICENSE NO. DPR-50  
DOCKET NO. 50-289  
MONTHLY OPERATING REPORT FOR APRIL 2001**

Enclosed are two copies of the April 2001 Monthly Operating Report for Three Mile Island Unit 1. The content and format of information submitted in this report is in accordance with the guidance provided by Generic Letter 97-02.

Sincerely,



George H. Gellrich  
Plant Manager

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Enclosure: Appendix A, and Appendix B

cc: Administrator, Region I  
TMI-1 Senior Resident Inspector  
File 01001

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APPENDIX A  
 OPERATING DATA REPORT

DOCKET NO. 50-289  
 DATE May 11, 2001  
 COMPLETED BY A. W. MILLER  
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REPORTING PERIOD: April 2001

		<u>MONTH</u>	<u>YEAR TO DATE</u>	<u>CUMULATIVE</u>
1.	DESIGN ELECTRICAL RATING (MWe NET). The nominal net electrical output of the unit specified by the utility and used for the purpose of plant design.	819.0	**	**
2.	MAXIMUM DEPENDABLE CAPACITY (MWe NET). The gross electrical output as measured at the output terminals of the turbine generator during the most restrictive seasonal conditions minus the normal station service loads.	786.0	**	**
3.	NUMBER OF HOURS REACTOR WAS CRITICAL. The total number of hours during the gross hours of the reporting period that the reactor was critical.	719.0	2,879.0	153,992.4
4.	HOURS GENERATOR ON LINE. (Service Hours) The total number of hours during the gross hours of the reporting period that the unit operated with the breakers closed to the station bus. The sum of the hours that the generator was on line plus the total outage hours in the reporting period.	683.5	2,843.5	152,724.5
5.	UNIT RESERVE SHUTDOWN HOURS. The total number of hours during the gross hours of the reporting period that the unit was removed from service for economic or similar reasons but was available for operation.	0.0	0.0	0.0
6.	NET ELECTRICAL ENERGY (MWH). The gross electrical output of the unit measured at the output terminals of the turbine generator minus the normal station service loads during the gross hours of the reporting period, expressed in megawatt hours. Negative quantities should not be used.	540,667.0	2,315,377.0	119,910,234.6

\*\* Design values have no "Year to Date" or "Cumulative" significance.

APPENDIX B  
 UNIT SHUTDOWNS

DOCKET NO. 50-289  
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REPORTING PERIOD: April 2001

No	Date	Type <sup>1</sup>	Duration (Hours)	Reason <sup>1</sup>	Method of Shutting Down Reactor <sup>2</sup>	Cause & Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence
						None

<sup>1</sup>  
 F Forced  
 S Scheduled

<sup>2</sup>  
 Reason  
 A-Equipment Failure (Explain)  
 B-Maintenance or Test  
 C-Refueling  
 D-Regulatory Restriction  
 E-Operator Training & Licensing Examination  
 F-Administrative  
 G-Operational Error (Explain)  
 H-Other (Explain)

<sup>3</sup>  
 Method  
 1-Manual  
 2-Manual Scram  
 3-Automatic Scram  
 4-Other (Explain)

**SUMMARY:** The plant entered the month operating at 100% power. TMI-1 operated at nominal full power through April 25, when power was reduced to approximately 75% to address high gas concentrations in the "A" main transformer. Power was further reduced to approximately 2% power on April 29. This was necessary to remove the "A" main transformer from service. The plant ended the month at approximately 2% power. The reactor was critical during the entire month of April.