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Attention: Mr. Steven A. Varga, Director  
PWR Project Directorate No. 3  
Division of PWR Licensing-A

Subject: Indian Point 3 Nuclear Power Plant  
Docket No. 50-286  
Proposed Changes to Technical Specifications  
Shunt Trip Modifications to the Reactor Trip Breakers  
(Generic Letter No. 85-09) (TAC # M55359)

Reference: 1. Letter from Mr. J.D. Neighbors to Mr. J.C. Brons,  
"Request for Additional Information in Accordance  
with Generic Letter 85-09", dated August 4, 1986."

Dear Mr. Varga:

The purpose of this letter is to forward the proposed changes requested by Generic Letter 85-09, "Technical Specifications for Generic Letter 83-28, Item 4.3", dated May 23, 1985. Using the guidance of Generic Letter 85-09 and Reference (1), these changes propose to revise Tables 3.5-2 and 4.1-3, to include reactor trip breaker operating conditions and surveillance requirements. These proposed revisions provide independent testing of the undervoltage and shunt trip attachments during power operation and independent testing of the control room manual switch contacts during each refueling outage.

The proposed changes are contained in Attachment I to the Application for Amendment enclosed with this letter, while the associated Safety Evaluation is provided in Attachment II.

Enclosed for filing are three (3) signed originals and nineteen (19) copies of a document entitled, "Application for Amendment to Operating License," together with forty (40) copies of Attachment I and II thereto, comprising a statement of the proposed changes to the Technical Specifications and the associated Safety Evaluation.

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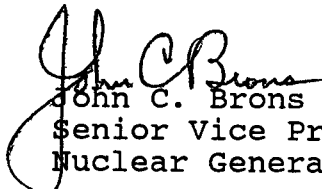
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In accordance with 10 CFR 170.12, a check in the amount of \$150.00 is enclosed as a payment of the application fee for the review of these proposed changes to the Technical Specifications.

In accordance with 10 CFR 50.91, a copy of this application and the associated attachments are being submitted to the designated New York State Official.

Should you or your staff have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Mr. P. Kokolakis of my staff.

Very truly yours,

  
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