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Attention: Mr. Steven A. Varga, Chief Operating Reactors Branch No. 1 Division of Licensing

Subject: Indian Point 3 Nuclear Power Plant Docket No. 50-286 Emergency Procedures and Training for Station Blackout: Events GEORGE T. BERRY PRESIDENT & CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER

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Dear Sir:

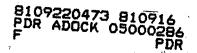
This letter responds to your August 26, 1981 letter which requests a revised schedule for implementation of the subject procedures. The Authority initially addressed this subject in our June 8, 1981 letter (IPN-81-40) in response to Generic Letter No. 81-04, dated February 25, 1981.

As stated in our June 8, 1981 response, existing Indian Point 3 emergency procedure PEP-EL-1 entitled, "Loss of Outside Power" directs the operator action necessary in the event of loss of all offsite power. The Authority, however, is revising this procedure to provide operator direction in the event of a loss of offsite power as well. This revision is expected to be approved by October 1, 1981.

Operator training for the above described revision will be implemented during the current retraining cycle and will be completed by October 31, 1981.

In addition blackout training is being conducted on the simulator during the current retraining cycle.

Also, the Authority will implement appropriate procedures and training from the guidelines developed by the





Westinghouse Owners Group Procedure Subcommittee on this event, as they become available.

Very truly yours,

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