

Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. 4 Irving Place, New York, NY 10003

December 13, 1976

Re: Indian Point Unit No. 2

Docket No. 50-247

Mr. James P. O'Reilly, Director Office of Inspection and Enforcement, Region 1 U. S. Huclear Regulatory Commission 631 Park Avenue King of Prussia, Pennsylvania 19406

Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

In accordance with the Technical Specifications of Facility Operating License No. DPR-26, the following report of Reportable Occurrence No. 76-2-24(A) confirms a telephone report to Mr. John Streeter of your office, this date.

The occurrence is the type defined by Regulatory Guide 1.16, Revision 4, Section C.2.a(2).

On December 12, 1976, it was discovered that reactor power had been increased above 50% power, although the indicated axial flux difference was outside its target band for more than two hours cumulative in the preceding 2% hour period. Upon discovery, reactor power was immediately reduced from 68% to below 50%, and was held there until the requirements of Technical Specification 3.10.2.7.2 were satisfied.

Very truly yours,

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