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MEMORANDUM FOR CHAIRMAN SEABORG  
COMMISSIONER RAMEY  
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SUBJECT: PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT OF HEARING ON SECOND INDIAN POINT REACTOR

Attached for your information is a public announcement of the hearing which is being scheduled August 31 at Buchanan, N. Y. to consider Consolidated Edison's application to build a second reactor at Indian Point. The announcement has the approval of the Director of Regulation. The notice will be published in the Federal Register on Saturday, July 30. We plan to issue the announcement at 1 p.m. Monday, August 1.

John A. Harris, Director  
Division of Public Information

Attachment  
Announcement

- cc: R. E. Hollingsworth, General Manager
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AEC SCHEDULES PUBLIC HEARING AUGUST 31 TO CONSIDER  
APPLICATION TO BUILD SECOND NUCLEAR PLANT AT INDIAN POINT

The Atomic Energy Commission has scheduled a public hearing August 31 at Buchanan, New York, to consider the application of Consolidated Edison Company for a permit to construct a second nuclear power plant at Indian Point in Buchanan.

The hearing will begin at 10 a.m. at Buchanan Engine Company No. 1, Albany Post Road. It will be conducted by a three-member Atomic Safety and Licensing Board appointed by the Commission. Members of the board are Dr. David B. Hall of Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory, Los Alamos, New Mexico; Dr. John C. Geyer, Chairman of the Department of Sanitary Engineering, the Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore; and Samuel W. Jensch, Chief Hearing Examiner for the Commission. Mr. Jensch will be chairman of the board. Dr. Thomas H. Pigford, professor of nuclear engineering at the University of California, Berkeley, will be alternate technical member of the board.

Consolidated Edison Company proposes to construct, with the assistance primarily of Westinghouse Electric Corporation, a pressurized water reactor adjacent to the existing Indian Point Station Unit No. 1. The new facility would have a net electrical output of approximately 873,000 kilowatts.

Consolidated Edison has been operating its Indian Point No. 1 nuclear power plant, also a pressurized water reactor, since 1962. Including conventional superheating, Indian Point No. 1 has a power level of approximately 270,000 net electrical kilowatts.

A copy of the Commission's notice of hearing is attached.

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