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In re: Consolidated Edison Company  
of New York, Inc.  
Indian Point Unit No. 2  
AEC Docket No. 50-247

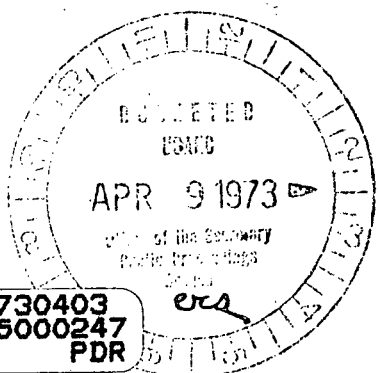
Dear Mr. Trosten:

This is to confirm that last week I called your office and asked to have Mr. Schwartz answer the following two interrogatories, being questions I would have put to Mr. Schwartz had he been present at the evidentiary hearing in March:

1. (a) Describe the method by which the pattern of use of Indian Point 2 as a peaking unit was developed. In particular, does the pattern of use represent a run through a hypothetical or real summer or the derivation of a typical summer day?
- (b) If a typical summer day was used how was it derived?
- (c) How was Table 1 developed.
2. Describe how the levelized annual economic cost for replacement fuel and operation was derived, giving per unit costs for each type of fuel and operation costs for each year and indicating the mix of fuels assumed in each year. Give the basis for any escalation factor used.

Yours sincerely,

*Angus Macbeth*  
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