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Gentlemen:

As attorneys for Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc., we transmit herewith Con Edison's Memorandum in Reply to HRFA's Proposed Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and Supporting Memorandum, for filing in the abovereferenced proceeding. A certificate of service is also enclosed.

Discussions between the Regulatory Staff's consultant (Oak Ridge National Laboratory) and Con Edison's consultant (Texas Instruments, Inc.) have identified a

misinterpretation of one factor in the equilibrium reduction equation which had been developed by Texas Instruments from the Ricker stock recruitment relationship. The equilibrium reduction equation method for impact assessment was described in the testimony of Drs. Campbell, Lawler, Marcellus, May and McFadden, dated December 7, 1976, pp. 17-23. It appears that the effect of a revised calculation to correct the misinterpretation would be to increase the impact assessments set forth on pp. 22 and 23 of that testimony. Con Edison is investigating this matter and the Board will be advised of the results as soon as possible.

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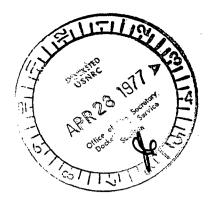
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