

CO Inquiry Report No. 50-247/72-09

Licensee: Consolidated Edison Company

Buchanan, New York

Facility's Short Title: Indian Point 2

License No.: CPPR-21

Docket No.: 50-247

Descriptive Title: Fire - Arson Indictment

Prepared by: *E. F. Ryan*
for A. F. Ryan, Investigation Specialist

3/17/72
Date

A. Date and Manner AEC was Informed:

February 24, 1972 by telephone.

B. Description of Particular Event or Circumstance:

On February 28, 1972, the Investigation Specialist, Region I, telephoned Mr. Joseph Buttler, Arson Investigator in the office of the Westchester County District Attorney. This was a return call to the District Attorney who had telephoned on February 24, 1972. Mr. Butler stated that Arthur Rickey, Jr., had been indicted by the Westchester County Grand Jury on February 24, 1972 for Arson in the second degree and for Malicious Mischief in excess of \$1500.

Butler stated that Rickey is still in the Psychiatric wing in the Veteran's Administration Hospital at Montrose, New York. Butler stated that he does not know whether Rickey will be brought to trial. His attorney may enter a plea of guilty due to insanity or he may agree to have Rickey plead guilty to a lesser count in which case Rickey may be sentenced without standing trial. If Rickey is found to be suffering from a mental disorder, it is possible that he may be confined to a mental institution with trial deferred until after his recovery.

C. Action by Licensee:

None.

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