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Docket No. 50-247

Consolidated Edison Company of
New York, Inc.
ATTN: Mr. Eugene McGrath
Vice President
4 Irving Place
New York, New York 10003

Gentlemen:

Subject: Investigation 50-247/80-19

An investigation into the containment flooding at Indian Point Unit 2 on October 17, 1980 was conducted from October 22 through November 21, 1980. The results of this investigation are described in the enclosed report, as Enclosure 1 to this letter. The report is being provided to you for proprietary review as indicated below. The enforcement correspondence pertaining to this investigation will be provided separately by the Director, Office of Inspection and Enforcement, Washington, D. C.

Based on discussions between Mr. E. McGrath of your company and Mr. T. Martin of our office on November 21 and December 3, 1980, we understand that you have committed to provide to the NRC the reports identified in Enclosure 2 to this investigation report by December 22, 1980 and that you have committed to submit by February 15, 1981 or prior to restart if later, proposed revisions to your Technical Specifications for new or modified systems. If our understanding of these commitments is incorrect please notify this office within 24 hours.

On December 3, 1980, a meeting was held at the Region I Office, between you and members of your staff and me and members of my staff, to discuss additional factual information not previously made available to our investigators. The results of this meeting are described in Enclosure 2 to this letter.

In accordance with Section 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, a copy of this letter and the enclosed investigation report will be placed in the NRC's Public Document Room. You were provided an advance copy of this report on December 1, 1980, for early proprietary review. If this report contains any information that you (or your contractor) believe to be proprietary, it is necessary that you make a written application to reach this office by close of business December 4, 1980, to withhold such information from public disclosure. Any such application must be accompanied by an affidavit executed by the owner of the information, which identifies the document or part sought to be withheld, and which contains a statement of reasons which addresses

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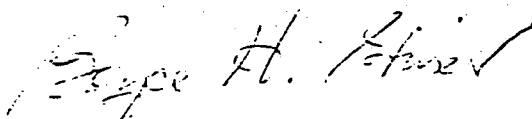
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with specificity the items which will be considered by the Commission as listed in subparagraph (b) (4) of Section 2.790. The information sought to be withheld shall be incorporated as far as possible into a separate part of the affidavit. If we do not hear from you in this regard within the specified period, the report will be placed in the Public Document Room.

Should you have any questions concerning this investigation, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,


Boyce H. Grier
Director

Enclosures:

1. Office of Inspection and Enforcement Investigation
Report Number 50-247/80-19 with two enclosures
2. Office of Inspection and Enforcement Meeting Report
Number 50-247/80-19A

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