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Docket No. 50-247

Mr. Timothy Atkeson, General Counsel
 Council on Environmental Quality
 722 Jackson Place, N.W.
 Washington, D. C. 20006

Dear Mr. Atkeson:

I am pleased to provide the Council with ten copies of the enclosed environmental report filed by the Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc., with its letter dated August 6, 1970, on the environmental considerations under the National Environmental Policy Act relating to its application for an operating license for the proposed Indian Point Nuclear Generating Station Unit 2.

This information has been prepared by the applicant at our request under our revised statement of policy on implementation of the National Environmental Policy Act which was forwarded to Mr. Train on May 28, 1970. A notice of the availability of the applicant's letter, with environmental report, and a request for comments from State and local agencies has been sent to the Office of the Federal Register for filing and publication (copy enclosed). A request for comments also has been sent to those applicable Federal agencies specified in the Council's memorandum of June 3, 1970.

After we have received the comments from Federal, State, and local agencies, we will prepare a detailed environmental statement, including a discussion of any problems or objections raised and the disposition thereof, and forward copies of the Statement to the Council.

Sincerely,

(signed) Harold L. Price

Harold L. Price
 Director of Regulation

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Enclosures:

1. Con Ed Co. of New York, Inc.
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2. Federal Register Notice

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