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Mr. Daniel R. Muller, Assistant  
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Re: Consolidated Edison Company  
of New York, Inc.  
Indian Point Unit No. 2  
AEC Docket No. 50-247

Dear Mr. Muller:

I have recently received a copy of Carl L. Newman's letter to you of March 1, 1973 concerning the environmental technical specifications for the Indian Point 2 plant.

Obviously, large portions of these proposed technical specifications are based on positions presently being contested by the Hudson River Fishermen's Association and the Regulatory Staff of the AEC in the proceeding concerning Con Edison's application for an operating license for Indian Point 2. The Fishermen are as opposed to the adoption of those positions as the basis for technical specification as they are opposed to their adoption as the basis for an operating license.

My question now is what course of action you intend to follow. Will any proposal for technical specifications be made before the initial decision of the ASLB in Indian Point 2 settles issues of the present controversy? If a proposal for technical specification is to be drawn up, will it rely on the Con Edison position or that of the Regulatory Staff? How may HRFA make its position known to your office in the most practical and

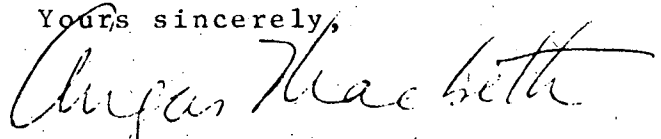
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effective manner?

I look forward to hearing from you on this matter.

Yours sincerely,



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