



Regulatory Docket File

CITY OF PEEKSKILL
CITY HALL

PEEKSKILL, N. Y. 10566

August 27, 1976

Mr. George W. Knighton, Chief
Environmental Projects Branch No. 1
Division of Site Safety & Environmental Analysis
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulations
Washington, D.C. 20555

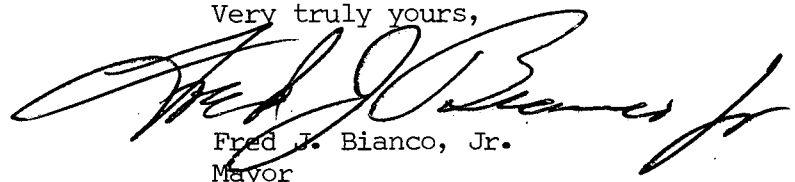
Re: Draft Environmental Statement for Facility License
Amendment for Extension of Operation with Once-through
Cooling for Indian Point Unit No. 2 - Docket No. 50-247

Dear Mr. Knighton:

We are in receipt of the above-referenced document and have reviewed same. As detailed in our letter to you of April 19, 1976, we are opposed to cooling towers being constructed as outlined in that report for Indian Point No. 2 (see attached). However we are wholeheartedly in support of the two-year extension.

Our support of this extension is based primarily on the fact that it will permit more expansive research to be done on the proposed cooling system. We believe that more detailed research will yield the most adequate and desirable solution to the problem. During this period of research the services of the City of Peekskill will be available to the Consolidated Edison Company of New York and to all other interested parties.

Very truly yours,



Fred J. Bianco, Jr.
Mayor

Attach.

cc: John E. Walsh, City Manager
E. Ziegler, Chairman, Planning Commission
William Wasserstrom, Director, Planning & Development



8985

8111200365 760827
PDR ADCK 05000247
D PDR