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Mr. William J. Cahill, Jr.
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Dear Mr. Cahill:

A letter dated April 3, 1973, from your attorneys for Indian Point Nuclear Generating Unit 3 transmitted the proprietary (and the non-proprietary) version(s) of a report entitled "Preliminary Fuel Densification Report-Indian Point Nuclear Generating Station Unit No. 3" both dated April 2, 1973, and requested that the report labeled "Proprietary Information" be withheld from public disclosure pursuant to 10 CFR 2.790(b) and 10 CFR 9.5(a)(4)(1).

The reason for withholding was stated to be that certain information contained in the proprietary report constitutes trade secrets, inventions and discoveries and/or proprietary data of Westinghouse Electric Corporation. The Regulatory staff has examined the proprietary report and, pursuant to Section 2.790(b) of 10 CFR Part 2, has approved your request.

Accordingly, pursuant to Section 2.790(b) of 10 CFR Part 2, we are withholding the preliminary fuel densification proprietary report from public inspection. Withholding from public inspection shall not affect the right, if any, of persons properly and directly concerned to inspect the document.

Sincerely,

Original signed by
 D. B. Vassallo

R. C. DeYoung, Assistant Director
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