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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION

BEFORE THE COMMISSION

In the Matter of	)	
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CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF	)	
NEW YORK, INC.	)	Docket No. 50-286
	)	
(Indian Point Unit No. 3)	)	

REPLY BY AEC REGULATORY STAFF TO  
"REQUEST OF APPLICANT FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

On December 4, 1972, the Applicant in the captioned proceeding filed with the Commission a request for an extension of time until December 11, 1972, to file answers to the petitions for leave to intervene in the proceeding; petitions having been filed by (1) Mary Hays Weik, (2) the Cortlandt Conservation Association, Inc., (3) Hudson River Fishermen's Association, (4) Save Our Stripers, and (5) the State of New York.

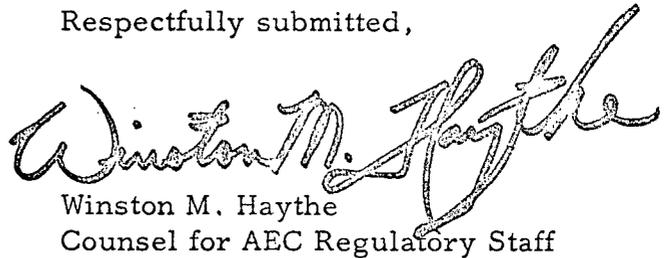
Prior to filing with the Commission its request for an extension of time, counsel for the Applicant contacted counsel for the AEC regulatory staff (staff), at which time it was agreed between counsel that (1) the staff would not oppose on the grounds of untimeliness the Applicant's answers to the respective petitions for leave to intervene, to be filed on December 11, 1972; and (2) the Applicant would not oppose on the grounds of untimeliness the

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staff's answers to the respective petitions, to be filed within 5 days after the Applicant's filing date, as contemplated by the Commission's "Rules of Practice", 10 CFR Part 2.

WHEREFORE, the staff has no objection to the Applicant's request for an extension of time.

Respectfully submitted,



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Dated at Bethesda, Maryland  
this 13th day of December, 1972

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of "Reply by AEC Regulatory Staff to Request of Applicant for Extension of Time", dated December 13, 1972, in the captioned matter, have been served on the following by deposit in the United States mail, first class or air mail, this 13th day of December, 1972:

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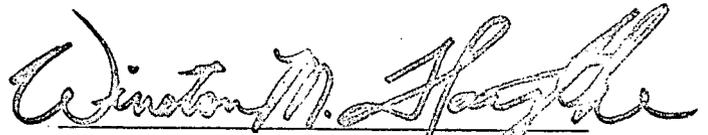
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