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RO Inspection Report Nos. 7305/7308 Con Edison Company (Indian-Point-Units 1 and 3)

The Subject inspection report is forwarded for action.

The environmental monitoring program needs some upgrading in light of current criteria. Recommendations for upgrading follow. This matter should be forwarded to DL for their consideration.

- 1. The number and locations of air sampling stations should be reviewed in light of meteorological and population data and the type of postulated release.
- 2. There should be background stations for air sampling and external radiation monitoring at a distance of approximately 20 miles in the least prevalent wind direction.
- 3. The milk sampling requirements should be reviewed.
- 4. Requirements for sampling food crops and well water should be reviewed.
- 5. Air sampling for iodine should utilize charcoal cannisters rather than charcoal impregnated filter paper.

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