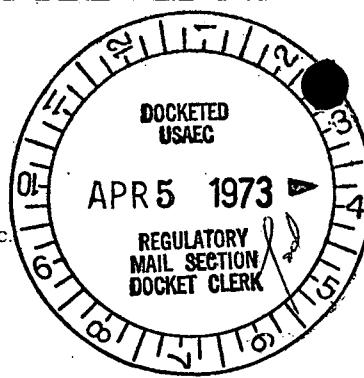


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Mr. Daniel Muller
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Dear Mr. Muller:

Informal conversations between Dr. Webb Van Winkle of Oak Ridge National Laboratory and members of my staff have indicated a mutual interest in meeting to discuss the strengths and weaknesses of past mathematical models for the impact of Indian Point plant operation on Hudson River fisheries. Other topics such as compensation and the contribution of the Hudson River to the Mid-Atlantic Striped Bass Population may also be discussed. It is hoped that the information exchanged at this meeting will be of mutual assistance in developing new models.

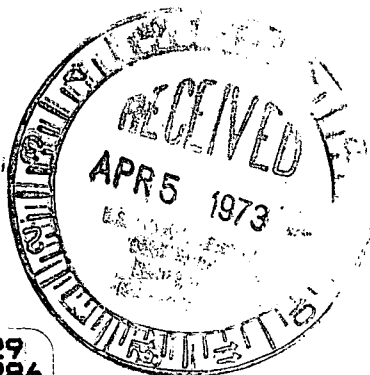
Dr. Van Winkle has advised us to contact you for approval to hold such a meeting. We therefore request that a few representatives and consultants of Con Edison be allowed to meet with Dr. Van Winkle and a small selected group from his staff. This meeting might be held at Oak Ridge National Laboratory in late April. If it is suitable with you, we suggest April 26-27 or May 3-4, 1973, as possible dates. Please advise us if you approve of this meeting.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

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