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Re: Indian Point Unit No. 2
Docket No. 50-247

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
ATTN: Document Control Desk
Washington, DC 20555

Subject: Inspection of Wire Terminations (Connections)

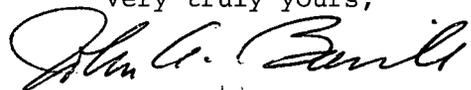
Gentlemen:

As we related to Mr. S. Ebnetter during the Con Edison/NRC meeting held at Region I offices on December 9, 1986, Con Edison is planning an inspection of plant wire terminations. It is anticipated that an inspection program will be issued by March 2, 1987.

As you are aware, loose connections are believed to have caused a recent reactor trip and also the malfunction of an auxiliary feedwater pump. The program as currently contemplated will include necessary torque requirements and specify future inspection frequencies. At your suggestion we have attempted to develop some means of determining the cause of the "loose" connections but this does not appear possible. We envision that the program will utilize the results of a survey being conducted by our Electrical Engineering Group of practices in use at other plants as well as vendor recommendations.

If you have any comments on the proposed course of action please contact us.

Very truly yours,



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