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Re: Indian Point Unit No. 1
and No. 2
Docket No. 50-003 and
No. 50-247

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SUBJECT: Supplemental Response to Inspection Report
No. 50-247/90-24

In our response, dated November 19, 1990 to Inspection Report No. 50-247/90-24, we described our plan for identifying the contents of all tanks located in Indian Point Unit No. 1 which are no longer in use, and which contain spent resins or radioactively contaminated waste water. That plan focused on the nine tanks specifically mentioned in the inspection report and was anticipated to be completed by March 31, 1991. In addition, we agreed to perform a complete survey of tanks within the facility, obtain representative samples and perform chemical and radiological analyses of those samples.

Both the complete survey of the tanks located in Unit No. 1 and the sampling and analysis of the nine original tanks have been accomplished. As a result of the survey, which was supplemented by extensive interviews with operating personnel previously licensed on Unit No. 1, we have identified 58 additional vessels to be added to the sampling program. These 67 vessels, which we believe constitute a complete list, represent a larger work scope than anticipated in our initial response.

In addition, sampling locations are not available or accessible for many of these vessels, necessitating physical breaching of the vessels to obtain samples. Although this effort is well under way, we now anticipate completion by May 31, 1991. This is due to the substantial increase in the required work scope and the access difficulties encountered. As discussed in our November 19, 1990 response, it is our intent to carefully plan all aspects of the sampling process to assure that representative samples are obtained while minimizing personnel exposure. We believe that our revised schedule reflects this intent.

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