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

SUBJECT:

Indian Point 3 Nuclear Power Plant

Docket No. 50-286 License No. DPR-64

Request for Relief From ASME Section XI Code Regarding Implementation

Schedule For Containment Repair/Replacement Requirements

Reference:

NYPA letter to the NRC (IPN-97-058) dated May 7, 1997, "Response To NRC

Request For Additional Information Regarding Request For Relief From ASME

Section XI Code- Implementation Schedule For Containment Repair/

Replacement Requirements."

Dear Sir:

In the referenced letter, the Authority provided a response to the NRC request for additional information regarding the schedular relief request to defer the implementation date for the containment repair and replacement provisions of the 1992 Edition of ASME Code Section XI, Subsections IWE and IWL, by one year until September 9, 1997. The Authority is committed to implement the provisions of this requirement by September 9, 1997.

The commitment made by the Authority is in Attachment I.

If you have any questions, please contact Ms. C. D. Faison.

Very truly yours,

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Attachment: as stated

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## **Summary of Commitments**

Number	Commitment	Due Date
IPN-97-066-01	Implement Containment Repair/Replacement Provisions of 1992 Edition of ASME Code Section XI Subsections IWE and IWL.	September 9,1997.