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Subject: Indian Point 3 Nuclear Power Plant
Docket No. 50-286
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**Supplement to Proposed Changes to Technical Specifications
Incorporating Recommendations of Generic Letter 89-01
and the Revised 10 CFR Part 20 and 10 CFR Part 50.36a**

- References:
- (1) NYPA letter, J. Knubel to NRC (IPN-98-018), "Proposed Changes to Technical Specifications Incorporating Recommendations of Generic Letter 89-01 and Draft Part 20 Generic Letter," dated February 19, 1998.
 - (2) NRC Generic Letter 89-01, "Implementation of Programmatic Controls for Radiological Effluent Technical Specifications in the Administrative Controls Section of the Technical Specifications and the Relocation of the Procedural Details of RETS to the Offsite Dose Calculation Manual or to the Process Control Program," dated January 31, 1989.
 - (3) NRC Draft Generic Letter, "Guidance for Modification of Technical Specifications to Reflect (A) Revisions to 10 CFR Part 20, 'Standards for Protection Against Radiation' and 10 CFR 50.36a, 'Technical Specifications on Effluents from Nuclear Power Reactors,'" Federal Register dated December 23, 1993.

Dear Sir:

This letter provides a supplement to NYPA's submitted application (Reference 1) for amendment to the Indian Point 3 Environmental Technical Specifications to implement the recommendations of NRC Generic Letter 89-01 (Reference 2). This supplemental letter provides clarification changes and replaces references to the NRC Draft Generic Letter (Reference 3), based on conversation between NYPA and NRC staff members. Only the Technical Specification pages which had changes to them are being provided in this supplement.

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In Reference 1, the proposed changes involved relocating the radioactive effluent and radiological environmental monitoring controls from the Technical Specifications to the Offsite Dose Calculation Manual (ODCM) and the Process Control Program (PCP) Manual, and updating references to 10 CFR Part 20. Editorial changes to these and a change to the frequency of the Radioactive Effluent Release Report in accordance with 10 CFR 50.36a are also included.

The attachments to this letter should be used as follows:

Attachment I - contains only those Technical Specification pages that were changed from Reference 1. These should replace, on a page for page basis, the pages that were submitted with Reference 1. All other Technical Specification pages submitted with Reference 1 should be used as submitted. Instructions for page replacement are included with Attachment I.

Attachment II - the Safety Evaluation has been clarified, references to the draft Generic Letter were removed and some minor wording changes made. It should be used in lieu of that submitted with Reference 1, but the conclusions of the no significant hazards evaluation remains unchanged.

Attachment III - the Table of Proposed Changes has been clarified, references to the draft Generic Letter were removed and other minor wording changes made. This should be used in its entirety in lieu of the table submitted in Reference 1.

Attachment IV - Proposed Changes to the Offsite Dose Calculation Manual (ODCM) should be used in its entirety in lieu of those submitted in Reference 1.

Attachment V - Proposed Changes to the Process Control Program (PCP) Manual should be used in its entirety in lieu of those submitted in Reference 1.

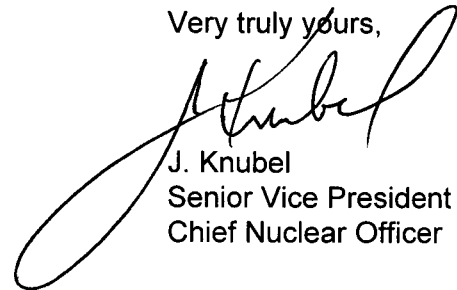
Attachment VI - contains only those pages from markup copies of documents which were changed to reflect proposed changes to Technical Specifications. These should replace, on a page for page basis, the pages that were submitted with Reference 1. All other markup pages submitted with Reference 1 should be used as submitted. Instructions for page replacement are included with Attachment VI.

This supplemental information does not alter the conclusions of the no significant hazards determination contained in Reference 1.

The Authority's commitments associated with this application are presented in Attachment VII to Reference 1. This supplement contains no new or additional commitments beyond those contained in Attachment VII to Reference 1.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Ken Peters at (914)-736-8029.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J. Knubel', written in a cursive style with a large loop at the end.

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