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IPN-97-135

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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Washington, D.C. 20555

SUBJECT: Indian Point 3 Nuclear Power Plant
Docket No. 50-286
License No. DPR-64
Licensee Event Report # 97-020-00
**Plant Outside Design Basis Due To Error In Original Plant Design
Probably Due to Personnel Error**

Dear Sir:

The attached Licensee Event Report (LER) 97-020-00 is hereby submitted as required by 10 CFR 50.73. This event is of the type defined in 10 CFR 50.73 (a)(2)(ii)(B).

Also attached is the commitment made by the Authority in this LER.

Very truly yours,


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Commitment List

Number	Commitment	Due
IPN-97-135-01	Engineering is evaluating the corrective action to be taken and will schedule the corrective action when determined. Administrative controls will remain in place until the corrective action is completed.	The assessment of corrective action is scheduled for completion by November 3, 1997 and the schedule for corrective action will be determined at that time.