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IPN-97-158

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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SUBJECT: Indian Point 3 Nuclear Power Plant
Docket No. 50-286
License No. DPR-64
Licensee Event Report 97-027-00
**Two Boric Acid Flow Paths Out-of-Service
Without an Allowed Outage Time;
A Condition Prohibited by Technical Specifications**

Dear Sir:

The attached Licensee Event Report (LER) 97-027-00 is submitted as required by 10 CFR 50.73. This event is of the type defined in 10 CFR 50.73 (a)(2)(i)(B).

The commitments made by the Authority in this LER are stated in Attachment I.

Very truly yours,


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Attachment

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LIST OF COMMITMENTS

Number	Commitment Description	Due Date
IPN-97-158-01	The Authority will submit to the NRC an application for amendment to address identified weaknesses in Technical Specification Section 3.2.	Feb 18, 1998
IPN-97-158-02	A review will be conducted to identify other important diaphragm valves to be included in the Preventive Maintenance (PM) Program, and to establish the PM schedule for those valves.	March 20, 1998