

**Indian Point 3  
Nuclear Power Plant**  
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IPN-96-039

Mr. Thomas T. Martin  
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Subject: Indian Point 3 Nuclear Power Plant  
Docket No. 50-286  
License No. DPR-64  
**Action Plan for Training and Evaluating Previously Licensed Operator**

Dear Mr. Martin:

The New York Power Authority (NYPA) requests NRC approval of the attached proposed plan of action for training and evaluating a previously licensed operator. The Authority's proposed plan, if acceptable, will be the basis for a waiver in accordance with the provisions of 10 CFR 55.47, "Waiver of Examination and Test Requirements." The request is for a recent rehire into the operations department for the position of Shift Manager (SM) who was previously licensed at Indian Point 3. The Shift Manager position will require the following employee to obtain an NRC Senior Reactor Operator (SRO) license at Indian Point 3:

<u>Name</u>	<u>License No.</u>	<u>Docket No.</u>
Robert T. Hansler	SOP-4122-4	55-8203

Mr. Hansler had previous licensed operating experience at Indian Point 3, but as a result of his resignation with the New York Power Authority, NYPA requested the NRC to consider Mr. Hansler's license to be expired by letter dated May 3, 1994 (IPN-94-055). By NRC letter dated May 24, 1994, Mr. Hansler's license was considered expired. Mr. Hansler has had extensive operating experience while licensed as an SRO at Indian Point 3. This experience included the positions of Shift Supervisor (now termed SM) from 1983 to 1994 and acting Operations Manager for approximately eleven months in 1993. A telephone conversation with Mr. Glenn Meyer in January 1996, discussed the possibility of using this method to re-license this operator.

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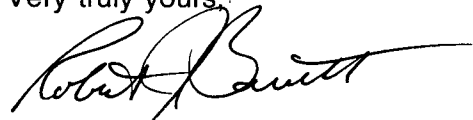
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Upon completion of the proposed action plan, the Authority plans to submit an application for a license with a waiver of the requirements for the written operator licensing examination including the Generic Fundamentals Examination Section (GFES), and the operating test.

The Authority's waiver request will be based upon his satisfactory completion of the proposed action plan and; 1) Mr. Hansler's extensive actual operating experience previously performed at Indian Point 3, 2) that he had discharged his responsibilities competently and safely and is capable of continuing to do so, and 3) that he will have learned the operating procedures for and is qualified to operate Indian Point 3.

The Authority is making no new commitments in this submittal. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Richard Robenstein at (914) 736-8904.

Very truly yours,



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Attachments

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