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Mr. William Dircks.
Council on Environmental Quality
Executive Office of the President
722 Jackson Place, N.W.
Washington, D. C. 20006

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Dear Mr. Dircks:

I am pleased to provide the Council with ten copies of the Draft Environmental Statement, prepared by the Commission's Regulatory staff, on environmental considerations under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 relating to the facility identified in the enclosure to this letter.

This Draft Environmental Statement was prepared in accordance with the statement of general policy and procedure on implementation of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 as set out in Appendix D of the Commission's regulations, 10 CFR Part 50. A notice of the availability of the Draft Environmental Statement and request for comments from interested persons is being sent to the Office of the Federal Register for filing and publication (copies enclosed). A request for comments also is being sent to appropriate Federal, State and local agencies.

After receipt of the comments from Federal, State and local agencies, we shall prepare a final environmental statement including, where appropriate, a discussion of any problems or objections raised and the disposition thereof, and forward copies of the statement to the Council.

Sincerely,

Daniel R. Muller, Assistant Director
for Environmental Projects
Directorate of Licensing

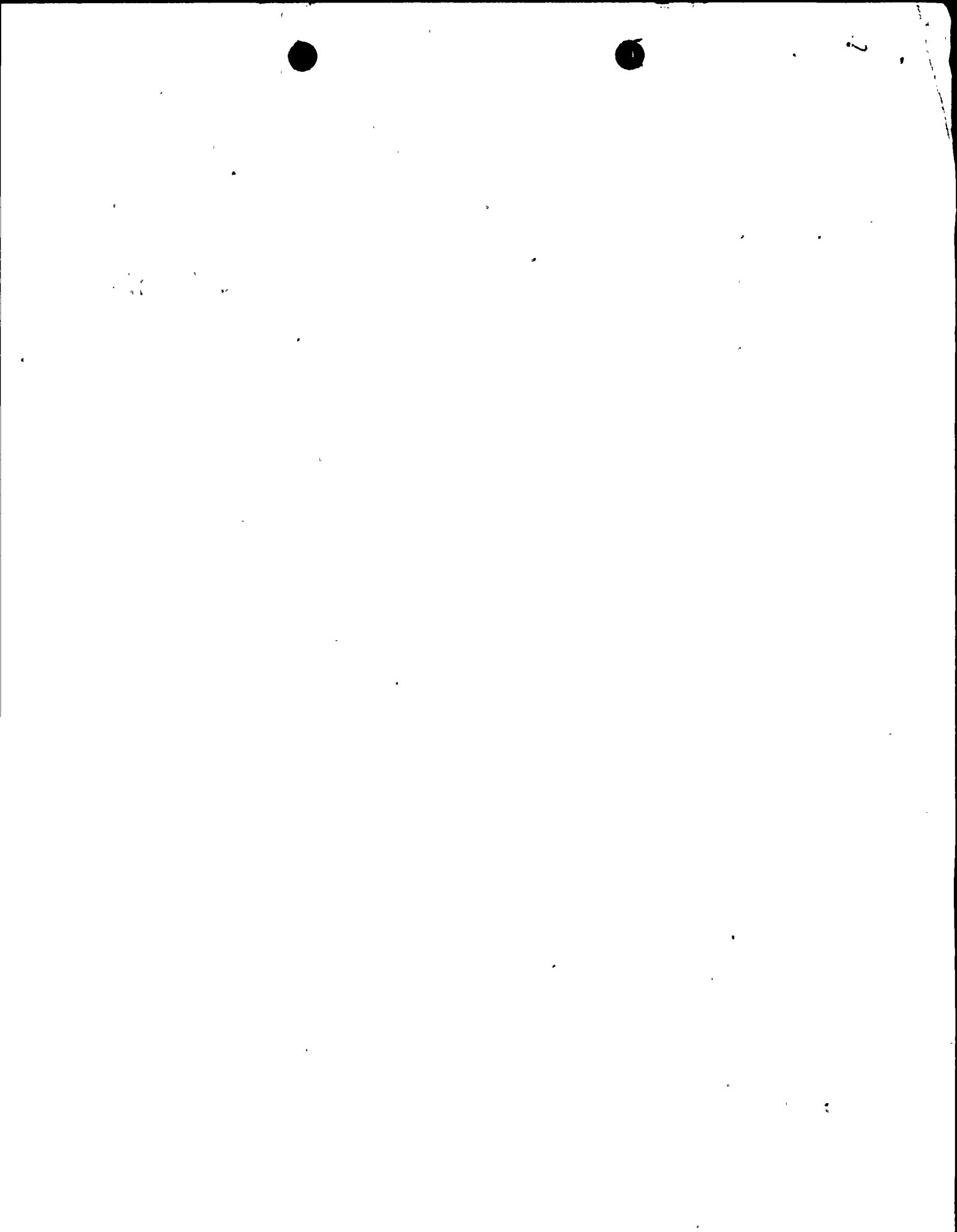
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LIST OF DOCUMENTS TRANSMITTED

Name of Facility: Nine Mile Point Nuclear Station Unit 1

Applicant: Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation

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Document Transmitted: Draft Environmental Statement
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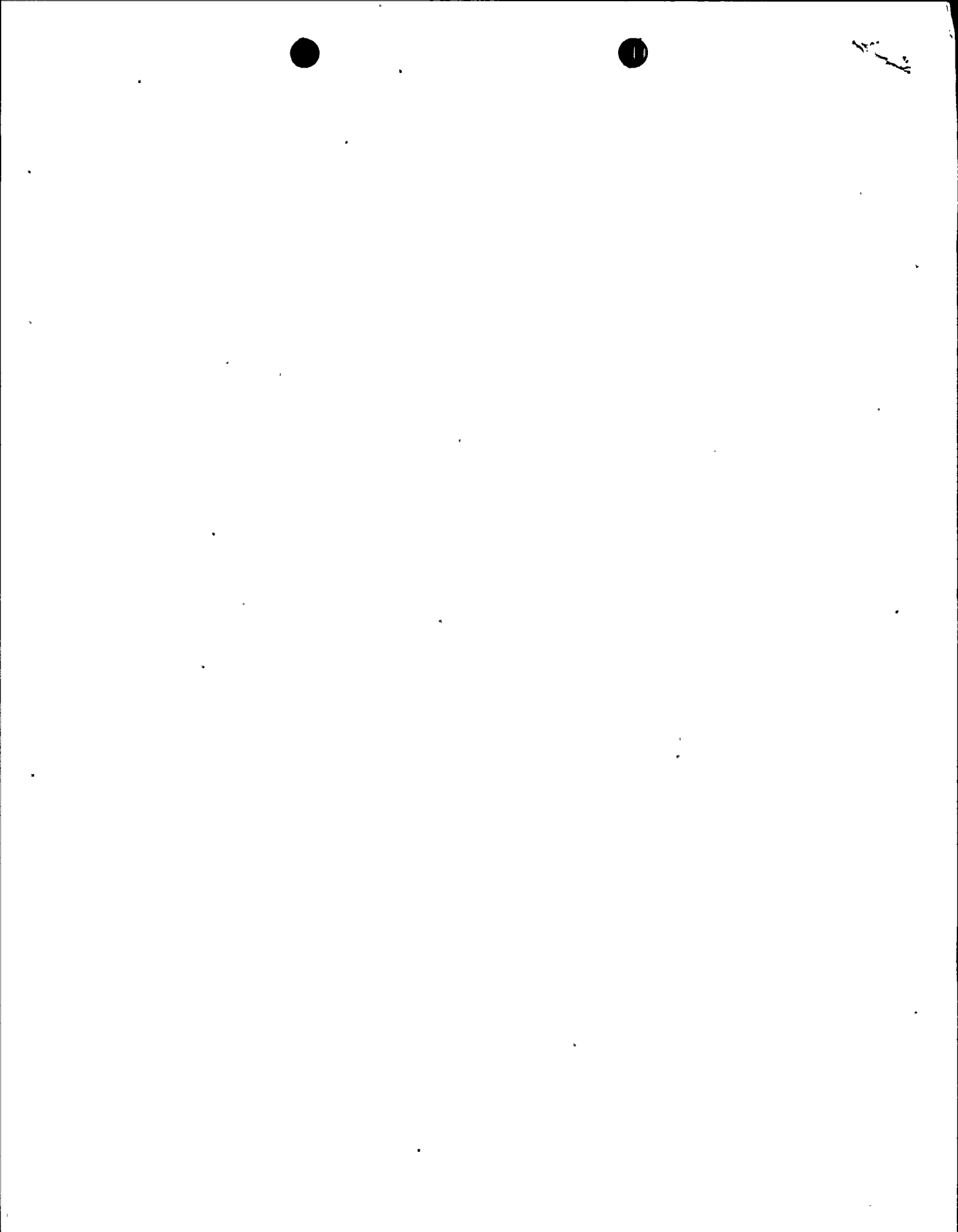
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NIAGARA MOHAWK POWER CORPORATION

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY OF AEC DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL STATEMENT FOR
THE NINE MILE POINT NUCLEAR STATION UNIT 1

Pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and the United States Atomic Energy Commission's regulations in Appendix D to 10 CFR Part 50, notice is hereby given that a Draft Environmental Statement prepared by the Commission's Directorate of Licensing related to the operation of the Nine Mile Point Nuclear Station Unit 1 by Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation in Oswego County, New York is available for inspection by the public in the Commission's Public Document Room at 1717 H Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. and in the Oswego City Library, 120 E. Second Street, Oswego, New York 13126.

The Draft Statement is also being made available at the New York State Office of Planning Services, 488 Broadway, Albany, New York 12207 and the Central New York Regional Planning and Development Board, 321 East Water Street, Syracuse, New York 13202. Copies of the Commission's Draft Environmental Statement may be obtained by request addressed to the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission, Washington, D.C. 20545, Attention: Deputy Director for Reactor Projects, Directorate of Licensing.



The Applicant's Environmental Report, as supplemented, submitted by Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation is also available for public inspection at the above-designated locations. Notice of availability of the Applicant's Environmental Report was published in the FEDERAL REGISTER on August 18, 1972 (37 F.R. 16692).

Pursuant to 10 CFR Part 50, Appendix D. interested persons may, within forty-five (45) days from the date of publication of this notice in the FEDERAL REGISTER, submit comments on the Applicant's Environmental Report, as supplemented, and the Draft Environmental Statement for the Commission's consideration. Federal and State agencies are being provided with copies of the Applicant's Environmental Report and the Draft Environmental Statement (local agencies may obtain these documents upon request). When comments thereon by Federal, State, and local officials are received by the Commission, such comments will be made available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room in Washington, D. C. and the Oswego City Library, 120 E. Second Street, Oswego, New York 13126. Comments on the Draft Environmental Statement from interested members of the public should be addressed to the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission, Washington, D.C. 20545, Attention: Deputy Director for Reactor Projects, Directorate of Licensing.

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland, this 27th day of June 1973.

FOR THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION

Original signed by W. H. Regan, Jr,

Wm. H. Regan, Jr., Chief
Environmental Projects Branch #4
Directorate of Licensing



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