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 requalification program action plan, submitted 900110.  
 Statement on page 21, corrective action 4 re requalification  
 cycle is requested to be withdrawn as commitment.

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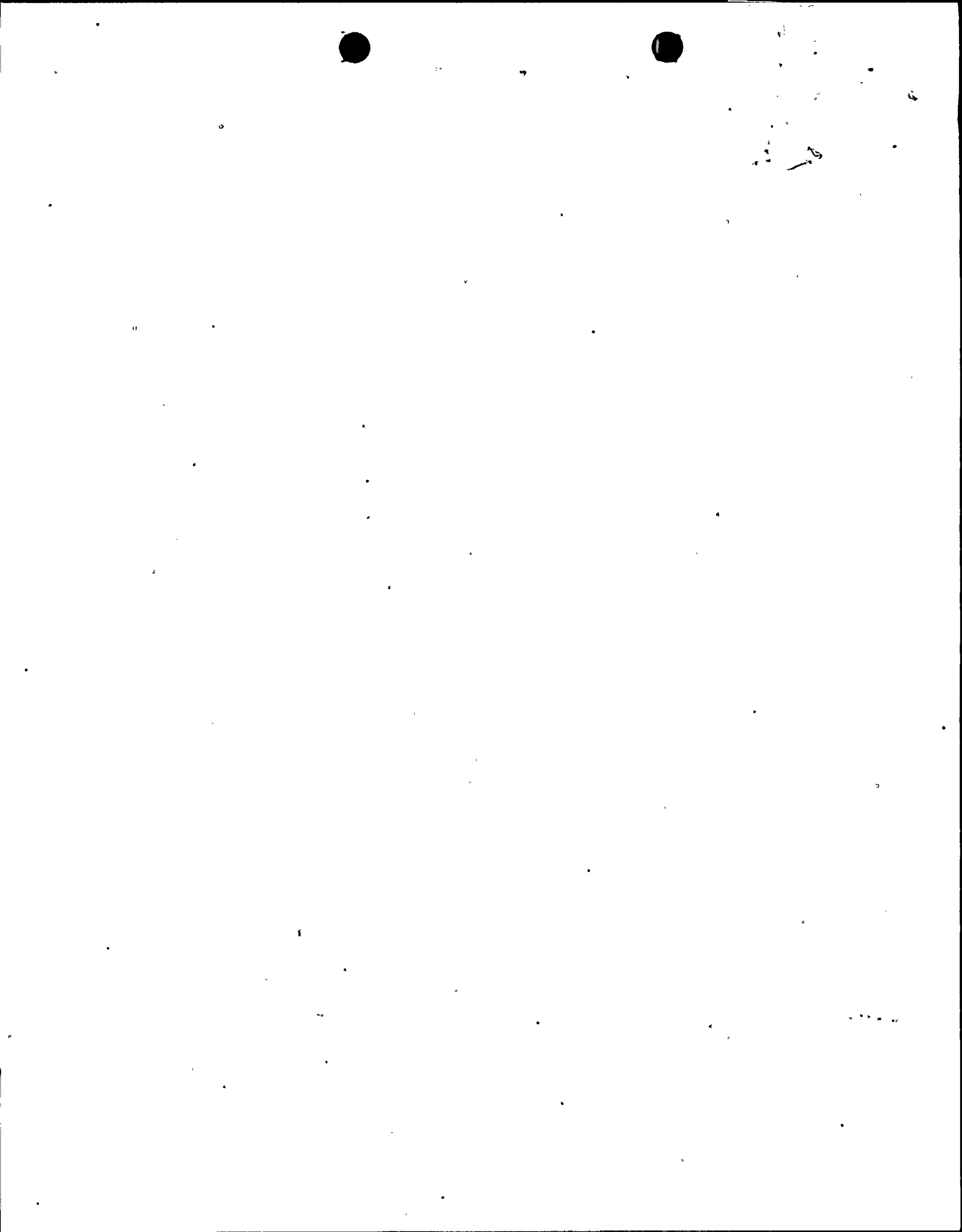
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Docket No. 50-410  
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**Subject: Change in Requalification Program Action Plan**

Gentlemen:

On January 10, 1990, Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation (NMPC) submitted the Nine Mile Point Unit 2 (NMP2) Requalification Program Action Plan, Revision 2, December 1989. The Requalification Program Action Plan was an attachment to a letter from Mr. L. Burkhardt, III which responded to Requalification Remediation Examination Report No. 89-18. The purpose of this letter is to inform the NRC of a change to one of the commitments made in the Requalification Program Action Plan.

On page 21 of the Action Plan, Corrective Action 4 states: "Establish a requirement to perform team evaluations on each crew each requalification training cycle that includes simulator training and individual evaluations twice per year." NMPC has implemented this commitment since April 1990. Our experience shows that we can improve the effectiveness of requalification training by reducing the number of evaluations, and devoting that time to additional simulator training. Therefore, this letter is to inform the NRC that NMPC is withdrawing that commitment. We currently implement the licensed operator requalification program in accordance with a Systematic Approach to Training which is consistent with NRC and Institute of Nuclear Power Operations requirements.

Very truly yours,



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