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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Attn: Document Control Desk  
Washington, DC 20555

Re: Nine Mile Point Unit 1  
Docket No. 50-220  
DPR-63

Gentlemen:

On February 18, 1993, Niagara Mohawk resubmitted an Application for Amendment to the Nine Mile Point Unit 1 Operating License DPR-63. This Application contained proposed revisions to Technical Specification Sections 3.2.7/4.2.7, 3.2.7.1, 3.3.3/4.3.3 and 3.3.4/4.3.4 regarding Appendix J leak rate testing.

As discussed with your Staff on March 22, 1993, a clarification is required to Section 4.3.3.c.(2)c. These changes are as follows:

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1. A closed parenthesis was added after (a) on line 3. This correctly identified the parenthetical phrase.
2. The word "and" between 4.3.3.b.(1) and 4.3.3.b.(2) on line 5 was changed to "or" to indicate that failure to meet any one of the acceptance criteria constitutes a failure.
3. The periodic retest identified as (b) in line 7 was changed to correctly indicate section 4.3.3.c.(1).

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1. Deleted the word "or" between 4.3.3.a.(3) and 4.3.3.b.(1) on line 4. Add "and 4.3.3.b.(2)." This ensures that all acceptance criteria must be met.

Attached are revised pages 139 and 140 which provide the clarifications and replace the pages contained in our February 18, 1993 submittal.

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We trust this information is responsive to your needs.

Very truly yours,



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