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Docket Nos. ~~50-302~~
and ~~50-303~~

SC-287

Mr. R. E. Neidig
Vice President
Metropolitan Edison Company
P. O. Box 542
Reading, Pennsylvania 19603

Dear Mr. Neidig:

In order to continue our review of your financial qualifications to construct the proposed Three Mile Island Nuclear Station, we require the following additional information:

1. In paragraph 7 on page 4 of the application, Metropolitan Edison estimates the cost of construction of the plant and fabrication of the initial core to be \$116,300,000. Please provide a breakdown of these estimated costs in the following detail:

Land and land rights
Structures and improvements
Reactor plant equipment
Turbogenerator units
Accessory electric equipment
Miscellaneous power plant equipment
Total Direct costs
Engineering, design, inspection
Startup
Contingencies, escalation
Interest during construction
Other indirects, including G&A, overhead, taxes, etc.
Total capital costs

NOTE: Transmission plant, if any, is to be shown separately from plant proper.

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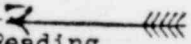
2. Inventory costs of the first core assemblies, including any spares, should not be included in capital costs under 1. above. These costs should be reported separately. As the application states that the SNM in the first core will be leased from the Commission, its cost is not included in fuel inventory costs. However, please show the quantity (in kilograms), enrichment and dollar value of the uranium contained in the first core (including spares) as a separate item.
3. The application (paragraph 7) contains the estimated overall construction expenditures for the years 1967-1969. As the construction period for the station may extend through 1971, please provide the estimate through 1971 showing the total estimated amount that each source of funds (e.g., funds generated internally and equity and debt securities) is presently expected to provide each year.

The above information should be submitted as an amendment to your application with three copies signed under oath or affirmation and twenty-seven additional copies.

Sincerely yours,

Original Signed by
Peter A. Morris
Peter A. Morris, Director
Division of Reactor Licensing

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