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Mr. John L. Wise, Superintendent
Three Mile Island Nuclear Generating Station
Metropolitan Edison Company
P. O. Box 480
Middletown, Pennsylvania 17057

Dear Mr. Wise:

We have received and reviewed your letter dated October 13, 1971 requesting a determination regarding cold eligibility for three members of your staff.

Based on our review of your letter, and the attached resumes, we have determined that Messrs. Gilbert, Larizza, and Beers will meet cold eligibility requirements pursuant to Section 55.25(b) of 10 CFR Part 55 providing they participate in the startup program of TMI Unit #1, during which they manipulate the controls of the reactor through several reactor startups from a substantially subcritical condition to a low power level. In addition, we believe that it will be highly desirable that these individuals participate in normal shift operations during the startup and operation of TMI Unit #1.

Upon meeting the other requirements of Section 55.25 these individuals will be eligible for cold examination for TMI Unit #2.

I hope this information will be of use to you.

Sincerely yours,

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P. F. COLLINS ✓

Paul F. Collins, Chief
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