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Metropolitan Edison Company  
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Gentlemen:

Enclosed for your information is a copy of our letter to the Babcock & Wilcox Company (B&W) concerning the regulatory staff's evaluation of their topical report entitled "A Study of Discontinuities in Control Rod Drive Motor Tube Extensions," BAW-10047, Revision 1, dated August 1972. B&W has indicated that the information in this report is applicable for Three Mile Island Units 1 and 2.

Sincerely,

*Original Signed by*  
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