



UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

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Docket No. 50-293

Boston Edison Company
ATTN: Mr. Victor H. Kazanjian
Vice President & General Counsel
800 Boylston Street
Boston, Massachusetts 02199

Gentlemen:

We are enclosing herewith an amendment to your indemnity agreement reflecting a change in 10 CFR Part 140, "Financial Protection Requirements and Indemnity Agreements." The amendment to Part 140, which was effective on May 1, 1977, modifies the definition of "in the course of transportation" in Article I to include transportation outside the United States and supersedes the definition which included only transportation within the United States.

We would appreciate your indicating your acceptance of the amendment to your indemnity agreement in the space provided and returning one signed copy to us.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jerome Saltzman", written over a horizontal line.

Jerome Saltzman, Chief
Antitrust and Indemnity Group
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

Enclosure:
Amendment to Indemnity Agreement

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AMENDMENT TO INDEMNITY AGREEMENT NO. B-48

AMENDMENT NO. 9

Effective May 1, 1977, Indemnity Agreement No. B-48 between Boston Edison Company and the Atomic Energy Commission, dated November 20, 1970, as amended, is hereby further amended by modifying the prefatory language of paragraph 5, Article I, to read as follows:

"In the course of transportation" means in the course of transportation within the United States, or in the course of transportation outside the United States and any other nation, including handling or temporary storage incidental thereto, of the radioactive material to the location or from the location provided that:

FOR THE UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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Jerome Saltzman, Chief
Antitrust & Indemnity Group
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

Accepted _____, 1979

By _____
BOSTON EDISON COMPANY

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