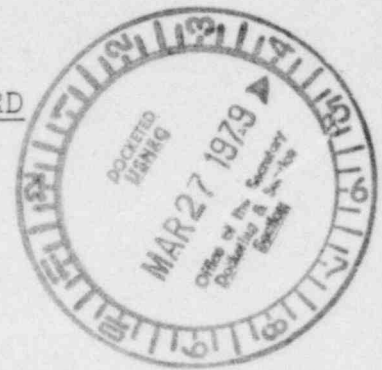


UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

BEFORE THE ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD

NRC PUBLIC DOCUMENT ROOM



In the Matter of

BOSTON EDISON COMPANY et al.

(Pilgrim Nuclear Generating Station,
Unit 2)

Docket No. 50-471

APPLICANTS' RESPONSE TO NRC STAFF
MOTION TO RESUME PILGRIM UNIT 2
EVIDENTIARY HEARING

Applicants, in response to the subject NRC Staff motion, say that they are in accord with and for the reasons stated join in said motion that the Board resume evidentiary hearings on their Pilgrim Unit 2 application on or about May 7, 1979 or as soon thereafter as practical.

Respectfully submitted,

George H. Lewald
George H. Lewald
Ropes & Gray
225 Franklin Street
Boston, Mass. 02110

Dale G. Stoodley
Dale G. Stoodley
Boston Edison Company
800 Boylston Street
Boston, Mass. 02199

Dated: March 23, 1979

Attorneys for Boston Edison Company

7904200174