



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

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Boston Edison Company
M/C NUCLEAR
ATTN: Mr. G. Carl Andognini
Manager, Operations Department
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Gentlemen:

By letter dated April 3, 1980, your Company requested Technical Specification changes to permit operation of Pilgrim Unit 1 in Cycle 5 with core spray sparger cracks. Fees pursuant to 10 CFR 170.22 were not submitted with this request because your Company considered it to be a supplement to the reload application dated December 12, 1979. We note that on May 12, 1980, Amendment No. 42 to License No. DPR-35 was issued by the Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation (ONRR) which included approval of your April 3 request.

Based on information provided by the ONRR staff, it has been determined that review of your April 3 request involved a separate technical issue apart from the reload application. On this basis, the April 3 submittal requires a Class III fee of \$4,000. This amount should be remitted to this office within 15 days after your receipt of this letter.

Sincerely,

William O. Miller, Chief License Fee Management Branch Office of Administration

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