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Dear Mr. Arnold:

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission has issued the enclosed Amendment No. 11 to License No. DPR-73. This amendment consists of changes to the technical specifications in response to your request dated June 23, 1980, a draft copy of which was supplied to and reviewed by the NRC staff on June 20, 1980. The need for this change was discussed in our meeting at TMI on June 19, 1980.

This amendment approves your proposed change to the Appendix B Technical Specifications for the Three Mile Island Nuclear Station, Unit 2, dealing with bypassing the interlocks from the Reactor Building Exhaust Monitors HP-R-225 and HP-R-226 to Dampers D5129 A/D and D5129 B/C respectively during purging to the TMI-2 reactor building atmosphere pursuant to the Commission's Order for Temporary Modification of License No. DPR-73, June 12, 1980.

We have determined that the amendment involves an action which is insignificant from the standpoint of environmental impact and that there is reasonable assurance that the health and safety of the public will not be endangered by this action. Having made this determination, we have further concluded that pursuant to 10 CFR §51.5 (d) (4) an environmental impact statement, negative declaration or environmental impact appraisal need not be prepared in connection with the issuance of this amendment.

Copies of the related Safety Evaluation and the Notice of Issuance, which has been forwarded to the Office of the Federal Register for publication, are also enclosed.

Sincerely,

S/

Bernard J. Snyder, Program Director
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Enclosures:

1. Amendment No. 11 to DPR-73
2. Safety Evaluation
3. Notice of Issuance

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