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TMI Program Office Attn: Mr. John T. Collins, Deputy Director U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission c/o Three Mile Island Nuclear Station Middletown, Pennsylvania

Dear Sir:

Three Mile Island Nuclear Station, Unit 2 (TMI-2) Operating License No. DPR-73 Docket No. 50-320 Submerged Demineralizer System

This letter is provided to indicate our intentions for the conduct of training for personnel who will be associated with the operational aspects of the subject system. Those personnel will include representatives from the various departments within the GPU/Met-Ed organization including, but not necessarily limited to, plant operators and maintenance personnel, health physics personnel, and engineering department personnel. Vendor personnel will also participate in the training program.

We have commenced training activities that include a multi-phased approach. The phases are:

PHASE I - Classroom Training

Classroom training is performed to accomplish the objective of the provision of system design information and the theory of system operation.

PHASE II - Practical Factors Training

The practical factors training has been allocated to permit the performance of "hands-on" training for SDS operations and maintenance, prior to placing the system into operation.

These training activities are being performed in accordance with lesson plans that have been prepared explicitly for SDS training. Furthermore, qualifications/ practical factors check sheets will be prepared and will be used to document the qualification status of personnel.

We welcome your participation in our SDS training program. Please contact L. J. Lehman, Jr., of my staff, at (717) 948-8693 to make any arrangements that may be necessary.

Sincerely.

GKH: LJL: dad

cc: Bernard J. Snyder

Director, TMI-2

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