UNITED STATES OF AMERICA NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

In the Matter of

METROPOLITAN EDISON COMPANY, et al. (Three Mile Island Nuclear Generating Station, Unit 2)



Docket Number 50-320-0LA

REQUEST OF ECNP INTERVENORS TO NRC FOR THE PROVISION OF TRANSCRIPTS

Pursuant to 45 Federal Register 49535, "Procedural Assistance in Adjudicatory Licensing Proceedings," dated July 25, 1980, The Environmental Coalition on Nuclear Power requests that the Nuclear Regulatory Commission provide these Intervenors with a free copy of the transcripts of the Prehearing Conference and all future Prehearing Conferences and Evidentiary Hearings, as well as subsequent appeal hearings that may be held in regard to the above-captioned matter. It is our understanding that certain certain documents that may be required of intervenors later in this proceeding will be copied and distributed by the Commission free of charge.

ECNP commends the Commission for this improvement in public participation; we urge that the NRC next return to its past practice of providing Intervenors with copies of documents requested on discovery. Without adequate access to those materials, public participation in NRC proceedings remains a shameful farce and travesty of due process. The deposit of a copy of an NRC document in the Public Documents Room in Washington, D.C., in no way makes that document available to Intervenors.

Dated this 22 day of August, 1980

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of REQUEST OF ECNP INTERVENORS TO NRC FOR THE PROVISION OF TRANSCRIPTS was served upon the parties in this proceeding by deposit in the U.S. Mail, first Class, postage paid, this 22 day of August, 1980.

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