

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSIONDOCKET NO. 50-320METROPOLITAN EDISON COMPANY
JERSEY CENTRAL POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY
PENNSYLVANIA ELECTRIC COMPANYNOTICE OF AVAILABILITY OF DRAFT PROGRAMMATIC ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT FOR
DECONTAMINATION OF THREE MILE ISLAND NUCLEAR STATION, UNIT 2

Pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and the United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission's regulations in 10 CFR Part 51, notice is hereby given that a Draft Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement prepared by the Commission's Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation related to the proposed decontamination and disposal of radioactive wastes resulting from the March 28, 1979, accident at Three Mile Island Nuclear Station, Unit 2, located in Dauphin County, Pennsylvania, is available for inspection by the public in the Commission's Public Document Room at 1717 H Street, N.W., Washington, D. C., and in the local public document rooms at the State Library of Pennsylvania, Government Publications Section, Education Building, Commonwealth and Walnut Streets, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17126, and at the York College of Pennsylvania, Country Club Road, York, Pennsylvania 17405. The Draft Statement is also being made available at the Pennsylvania State Clearinghouse, Governor's Budget Office, Intergovernmental Relations Division, P.O. Box 1323, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120, and at the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission, Shore Drive Office Center, Building No. 2, Suite 221, 2001 N. Front Street, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17102. Requests for copies of the Draft Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement should be addressed to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, D. C. 20555, Attention: Director, Division of Technical Information and Document Control.

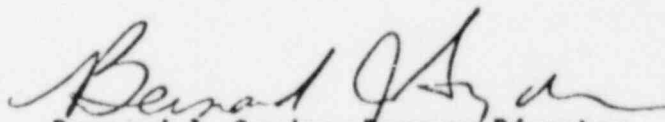
Pursuant to 10 CFR Part 51, interested persons may submit comments on the Draft Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement for the Commission's consideration. Federal and State agencies are being provided with copies of the Statement (local agencies may obtain these documents upon request). Comments are due by October 6, 1980. Comments by Federal, State, and local officials, or other persons received by the Commission will be made available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room in Washington, D. C., and in the local public document rooms. Upon consideration of comments submitted with respect to the Draft Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement, the Commission's staff will prepare a Final Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement, the availability of which will be published in the FEDERAL REGISTER.

Comments on the Draft Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement from interested persons of the public should be addressed to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, D. C. 20555, Attention: Director, Three Mile Island Program Office.

A related document which may be of interest is NUREG-0698, "NRC Plan for Cleanup Operations at Three Mile Island Unit 2." This NRC plan defines the functional role of the NRC in the cleanup operations at Three Mile Island Unit 2 to assure that agency regulatory responsibilities and objectives will be fulfilled. Copies will be provided upon request as described above.

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland, this 11 day of August 1980.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION


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