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Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
Attn: Mr. John F. Stolz, Chief
Operating Reactors Branch No. 4
Division of Licensing
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Sir:

Three Mile Island Nuclear Station, Unit 1 (TMI-1)
Operating License No. DPR-50
Docket No. 50-289
Monthly Status Reports

As requested by R. W. Reid in his February 25, 1981 letter, and discussed
with you on April 8, 1981, we have considered the methods available to
report the progress we are making towards completion of required activities
associated with TMI-1 restart. Since we are in transition between management
control reporting methods, we do not have at this time one internally generated
report which would satisfy your reporting requests. Further, such reports are
usually of such a summary nature that, absent the more detailed and more
voluminous supporting documents, these reports would not likely be sufficient
for your purposes. Generation of special reports for your use only are not
considered by us to be a practical alternative.

For these reasons, we propose that a monthly meeting between members of your
staff, I & E representatives and our staff be held in your offices. The overall
progress on major activities associated with each upcoming milestone, present
completion information regarding activities which will require NRR certification,
and more detailed discussions of critical path activities will be presented.
These meetings will also afford an opportunity to focus our respective staffs
attention on any licensing matters which are not achieving timely resolution
through rout'ne methods.

We will contact your staff in the near future to set the detailed formal
agenda and date for the first meeting. If you have any questions please contact
Mr. E. G. Wallace (201-2&3-6500).

Sincerely,

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Director, TMI-1

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