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Consolidated Edison Company of

New York, Inc.

Attention: Mr. W. J. Cahill, Jr.

Vice President

4 Irving Place

New York, New York 10003

License Nos. DPR-5

DPR-26

DPR-64

Inspection Nos. 76-04

76-06

76-08

Docket Nos. 50-3

50-247

50-286

## Gentlemen:

This refers to the inspection conducted by Mr. R. Bores of this office on March 16-19, 1976 at Indian Point Nuclear Station, Buchanan, New York, of activities authorized by NRC License Nos. DPR-5, DFR-26 and DPR-64 and to the discussions of our findings held by Mr. Bores with Mr. Stein, Mr. Van Wyck and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during this inspection are described in the Office of Inspection and Enforcement Inspection Report which is enclosed with this letter. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspector.

Our inspector also verified the steps you have taken to correct the items of noncompliance brought to your attention in a letter dated November 29, 1974. We have no further questions regarding your action at this time.

Based on the results of this inspection, it appears that certain of your activities were not conducted in full compliance with NP.C requirements, as set forth in the Notice of Violation, enclosed herewith as Appendix A. These items of noncompliance have been categorized into the levels as described in our correspondence to you dated December 31, 1974. This notice is sent to you pursuant to the provisions of Section 2.201 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice", Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations. Section 2.201 requires you to submit to this office, within twenty (20) days of your receipt of this notice, a written statement or explanation in reply including: (1) corrective steps which have been taken by you and the results achieved; (2) corrective steps which will be taken to avoid further items of noncompliance; and (3) the date when full compliance will be achieved.

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8203240594 760420 FDR ADOCK 05000003 With respect to Appendix A, we note that you have corrected Item D, and therefore you need not address yourself to this matter in your response.

In accordance with Section 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice", Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, a copy of this letter and the enclosures will be placed in the NRC's Public Document Room. If this report contains any information that you (or your contractor) believe to be proprietary, it is necessary that you make a written application within 20 days to this office to withhold such information from public disclosure. Any such application must include a full statement of the reasons on the basis of which it is claimed that the information is proprietary, and should be prepared so that proprietary information identified in the application is contained in a separate part of the document. If we do not hear from you in this regard within the specified period, the report will be placed in the Public Document Room.

Should you have any questions concerning this inspection, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,

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Paul R. Felson, Chief Fuel Facility and Materials Safety Branch

## Enclosures:

- 1. Appendix A, Notice of Violation
- 2. IE Inspection Report Nos. 50-3/76-04, 50-247/76-06, and 50-286/76-06
- cc: A. Kohler, Resident Construction Manager
  - W. Stein, Manager, Nuclear Power Generation Department
  - S. Salay, Plant Manager
  - J. M. Makepeace, Director, Technical Engineering
  - A. E. Upton, Esquire
  - George T. Berry, General Manager and Chief Engineer
  - Z. E. Chilazi, Manager of Projects, Thermal Power Generation
  - A. Z. Roisman, Counsel for Citizens Committee for

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