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NRC Bulletin No. 90-02
Loss of Thermal Margin Caused
By Channel Box Bow
Shoreham Nuclear Power Station - Unit 1
Docket No. 50-322

Gentlemen:

The Long Island Lighting Company (LILCO) has reviewed Bulletin 90-02 as it relates to the Shoreham Nuclear Power Station (SNPS). The channel boxes in the Shoreham reactor have never completed a single bundle lifetime of normal use, apart from low power testing equivalent to approximately two (2) effective full power days (EFPD). Further, in accordance with the LILCO/New York State Settlement Agreement and the defueled and non-operating status of the plant, LILCO will not use the channel boxes for a second bundle lifetime. Therefore, Bulletin 90-02 does not apply to SNPS.

If additional information or follow up discussion is required, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Very truly yours,

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