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In the Matter of LONG ISLAND LIGHTING COMPANY (Shoreham Nuclear Power Station, Unit 1) Docket No. 50-322 (OL)

Dear Administrative Judges:

By letter dated December 3, 1982, I distributed to the Board and the parties in this proceeding a draft copy of Interim Report No. EGG-EA-6109 prepared by Idaho National Engineering Laboratory under contract for the Nuclear Regulatory Commission. This contract was one of the research projects on the subject of graded quality assurance for important to safety structures, systems and components discussed during testimony by Staff witness Walter P. Haass (at Tr.6980, 7070-71, 7857-59) and referred to in the Staff's proposed findings (at proposed finding 7B:79, note 4).

In accordance with the disclosure requirements of <u>McGuire</u> and other cases, this is to inform the Board and parties that the Staff is concluding the referenced contract with the Idaho National Engineering Laboratory due to reprogramming decisions and budgetary constraints. The remaining contract research project in this area (with Sandia National Laboratories) discussed in Staff testimony is continuing and the results of the Idaho National Engineering Laboratory project will be incorporated into the ongoing work by Sandia.

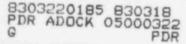
Sincerely yours,

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