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Re: In the Matter of METROPOLITAN EDISON COMPANY, (Three Mile Island Nuclear Station, Unit 1), Docket No. 50-289 (Steam Generator Repairs)

Dear Licensing Board Members:

In response to the Board's June 1, 1984 Memorandum and Order, please be advised that TMIA plans to offer no direct testimony and plans to call no witnesses in the above-captioned proceedings, due to the limited financial resources of TMIA.

However, TMIA respectfully suggests that Dr. George C. Sih, who has provided TMIA with voluntary assistance in the past, may be available to the Board at its request to assist in the issues which the Board has delineated. We are aware that Dr. Sih may have particular expertise in issues raised in Contention 1.a, in particular the adequacy of ECT and leak rate measurements for predicting tube ruptures.

In addition, TMIA is aware of concern expressed by certain members of the ACRS regarding the TMI-1 steam generator repairs. Thus, TMIA respectfully suggests that, if possible, the Board call upon the ACRS for an independent analysis of this problem, or, in the alternative, request the Commission to do so.

Respectfully,

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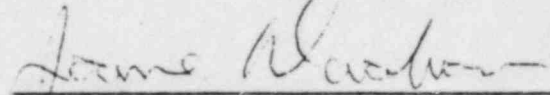
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the attached letter dated June 10, 1984, were served this 10th day of June 1984, by deposit in the U.S. Mail, first class, postage prepaid, or, hand delivered where possible on June 10th to those on the attached service list.


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