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Docket No. 50-293

Boston Edison Company M/C Nuclear ATTN: Mr. William D. Harrington Senior Vice President, Nuclear 800 Boylston Street Boston, MA 02199

Gentlemen:

Subject: Inspection No. 50-293/84-13

This refers to the routine safety inspection conducted in the transportation area by Mr. P. Clemons of this office on April 24-27, 1984 at Plymouth, Massachusetts of activities authorized by NRC License No. DPR-35 and to the discussions of our findings held by Mr. P. Clemons with Mr. Mathis and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during this inspection are described in the NRC Region I 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 violation and deviation brought to your attention in letters dated January 22, 1982 and June 21, 1982. 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 NRC requirements, as set forth in the Notice of Violation, enclosed herewith as Appendix A and the Notice of Deviation, enclosed herewith as Appendix B. These violations involve your failure to approve procedures, to comply with the conditions of a Certificate of Compliance, and to identify packages as a component of your quality assurance program. These violations have been categorized by severity level in accordance with the revised NRC Enforcement Policy (10 CFR 2, Appendix C) published in the Federal Register Notice (49 FR 8583) dated March 8, 1984. Regarding the violations described in Appendix A, you are required to respond to this letter and in preparing your response, you should follow the instructions in Appendix A. Regarding the deviation described in Appendix B, you are requested to respond to the concern described in Appendix B, and in preparing your response, you should follow the instructions described in Appendix B.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790(a), a copy of this letter and the enclosure will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room unless you notify this office, by telephone, within ten days of the date of this letter and submit written application to withhold information contained therein within thirty days of the date of this letter. Such application must be consistent with the requirements

of 2.790(b)(1). The telephone notification of your intent to request withholding, or any request for an extension of the 10-day period which you believe necessary, should be made to the Supervisor, Files, Mail and Records, USNRC Region I, at (215) 337-5223.

The responses directed by this letter and the accompanying Notice are not subject to the clearance procedures of the Office of Management and Budget as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980, PL 96-511.

Your cooperation with us in this matter is appreciated.

Arhomas T. Martin, Director
Division of Engineering and
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Enclosures:

1. Appendix A, Notice of Violation and Appendix B, Notice of Deviation

2. NRC Region I Inspection Report Number 50-293/84-13

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