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MEMORANDUM FOR: R. W. Reid, Chief, Operating Reactors Branch #4, DOR

FROM: G. W. Knighton, Chief, Environmental Evaluation Branch, DOR

SUBJECT: AMENDMENT TO OPERATING LICENSE FOR THREE MILE ISLAND NUCLEAR STATION, UNIT NO. 1, ESF FILTER TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS (TAC 86130)

PLANT NAME: Three Mile Island Nuclear Station, Unit No. 1

DOCKET NO.: 50-289

RESPONSIBLE BRANCH: ORB#4

PROJECT MANAGER: D. DiIanni

REVIEW STATUS: EEB - Complete

In response to an NRC request (letter from G. Laer to Metropolitan Edison Company, dated December 6, 1974) Metropolitan Edison Company proposed changes to Appendix A of the Facility Operating License DPR-60 for the Three Mile Island Nuclear Station, Unit No. 1 (letters dated January 30, 1975 and October 28, 1975). The proposed changes included new Technical Specifications for the emergency control room, reactor building purge and auxiliary and fuel handling exhaust air treatment systems within new Section 3.16, entitled Air Treatment Systems; revised surveillance requirements for these three systems in Section 4.12, retitled Air Treatment Systems, replacing Section 4.12 and deleting Section 4.14 of the existing Technical Specifications; and necessary changes to the index and Table 4.2-1.

ETSB has reviewed the proposed changes as indicated in Enclosure 1 and conclude (see Enclosure II, Safety Evaluation Report) that the proposed changes agree with requirements of the model Technical Specifications for ESF ventilation filter systems for operating reactors and of Positions C.5 and C.6 of Regulatory Guide 1.52, Revision 2.

It should be noted that this evaluation addresses the backlog issue of the 1975 submittal only, and does not include the licensee's proposal to meet Criterion 4 of the Commission's Order and Notice of Hearing, dated August 9, 1979, for TMI-1 restart. The licensee has proposed an independent ESF filter system be installed at the TMI-1 fuel handling floor area for the postulated fuel handling accidents.

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This modification and/or other changes needed for compliance with Criterion 4 for the separation and/or isolation of gaseous radwaste systems should be addressed by the Restart Group. This will avoid duplication of effort by EEB/ETSB and the Restart Group.

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STATION, UNIT NO. 1, ESF FILTER TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS (TAC 8613)

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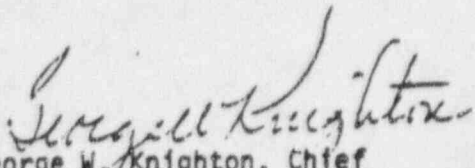
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