



UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

December 9, 1983

MEMORANDUM FOR: All NRC Employees
FROM: Chairman Palladino *NP*
SUBJECT: CRIMINAL PROSECUTION IN UNITED STATES v.
METROPOLITAN EDISON CO., CRIMINAL
#83-00188, U.S. DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

In the criminal prosecution of the so-called Hartman allegations, trial of which is slated to commence January 3, 1984, NRC has been asked by the United States Attorney, David Dart Queen, to keep him apprised of the following:

- any subpoenas for testimony or documents served on NRC personnel or offices by the defense;
- any defense contacts or requests to interview NRC personnel related to the criminal case.

Accordingly, I direct all NRC employees who receive formal or informal inquiries of the type described above to notify James A. Fitzgerald, Assistant General Counsel immediately (634-3224). Mr. Fitzgerald will be NRC's contact person to keep Mr. Queen informed. Any written materials such as subpoenas should be promptly forwarded to him. In case of doubt as to whether the contact is for purposes of criminal defense or some other purpose, the matter should be discussed with Mr. Fitzgerald.