



UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20585

July 23, 1976

Docket No. 50-293

Boston Edison Company
M/C NUCLEAR
ATTN: Mr. J. E. Larson
Nuclear Licensing
Administrator - Operations
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Gentlemen:

The Commission has requested the Office of the Federal Register to publish the enclosed Notice of Proposed Issuance of Amendment to Facility License No. DPR-35 for the Pilgrim Nuclear Power Station Unit No. 1. The proposed amendment includes a change to the Technical Specifications based on that portion of your application dated November 17, 1975, and supplements thereto dated March 1, March 19 and April 12, 1976, relating to single loop operation.

The amendment would revise the Technical Specifications to add operating limits for single loop operation based upon an evaluation of ECCS performance calculated in accordance with an acceptable evaluation model, modified to apply to single loop conditions, that conforms to Section 50.46 of 10 CFR Part 50.

A copy of our Safety Evaluation will be sent to you when it is completed and will be placed in the public record.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Dennis L. Ziemann".

Dennis L. Ziemann, Chief
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Enclosure:
Notice

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(Referenced BECo filings provided
w/Amendment No. 15 issued 5/21/76)