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Division of Licensing  
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation  
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, D. C. 20555

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Docket No. 50-293

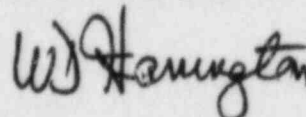
Dear Sir:

By letter of August 9, 1984, Boston Edison proposed an amendment to Pilgrim Nuclear Power Station's technical specifications. This proposed amendment, in part, modified existing technical specifications concerning torus water temperature monitoring instrumentation, and included into technical specifications new instruments associated with post-accident monitoring.

Based on the October 3 and October 12, 1984 telephone discussions between the NRC and Boston Edison concerning the amendment, Boston Edison requests that, in accordance with NRC recommendations, Containment High Radiation (Torus) instrumentation be removed from Table 3.2.F, and that the minimum number of operable instrument channels for Containment High Radiation (Drywell) be changed from 1 to 2.

Should you require further information on this request, please contact us.

Very truly yours,

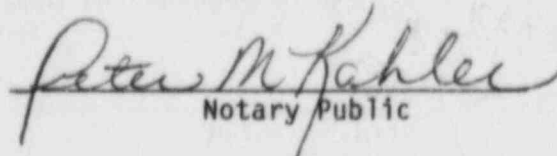


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Then personally appeared before me W. D. Harrington, who, being duly sworn, did state that he is Senior Vice President - Nuclear of Boston Edison Company, the applicant herein, and that he is duly authorized to execute and file the submittal contained herein in the name and on behalf of Boston Edison Company and that the statements in said submittal are true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

My Commission expires: *October 21, 1988*



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