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Docket No. 50-247

Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc.
ATTN: Mr. John D. O'Toole
Vice President
Nuclear Engineering and Quality Assurance
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New York, New York 10003

Gentlemen:

Subject: Inspection No. 50-247/84-34

This refers to a special inspection conducted by Mr. T. Kenny of this office on December 10-19 and 22, 1984 at Indian Point Nuclear Generating Station, Unit 2, Buchanan, New York of activities authorized by NRC License No. DPR-26, and to the discussions of our findings held by Mr. T. Kenny with Mr. M. Selman and members of his staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

As a result of a 50.72 report made by your staff regarding "Throttled Auxiliary Feed Water Regulating Valves," our resident inspector conducted a special inspection into the reasons for these valves being throttled in the non-conservative direction.

As a result of the inspection documented within the enclosed report, certain concerns contributing to the throttle valves being set non-conservatively have been identified. Although no apparent violation has been identified in this event, you are requested to investigate the areas of concern and provide written response to Region I within 30 days, including in that response the corrective actions you intend to implement in order to eliminate the concerns.

Your response directed by this letter is 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.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:

Richard W. Starostecki, Director
Division of Reactor Projects

Enclosure: NRC Region I Inspection Report 50-247/84-34

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