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Jersey Central Power & Light Company ATTN: Mr. I. R. Finfrock, Jr. Vice President - Generation Madison Avenue at Punch Bowl Road Morristown, New Jersey 07960

Gentlemen:

We have completed our review of the proposed modifications to the radwaste systems for the Oyster Creek Station submitted by your latters dated September 20 and December 13, 1973. Our review of the liquid and solid radwaste systems is complete and we have no additional questions. The proposed off-gas system modifications, however, are unacceptable because our analysis indicates that the modified system will result in a whole body dose at the site boundary in excess of 5 Rem for a two-hour period following a postulated Safe Shutdown Earthquake (SSE). This is inconsistent with the Regulatory staff position in Regulatory Guide 1.29, "Seismic Design Classification", and is not considered justified.

During a meeting in Bethesda on February 21, 1974, between representatives of the Regulatory staff and Jersey Central Power & Light Company, you advised that modifications would be made to the Oyster Creek facility augmented off-gas system to provide reasonable assurance that the dose at the site boundary would not exceed 5 Rem if the plant were subjected to a SSE.

A description of the proposed modifications of the off-gas system with the scheduled completion date and scheduled completion dates for the liquid and solid radioactive waste system modifications are requested within 45 days from the date of this letter. One signed original and thirty-nine copies of your submittal are required.

Sincerely,

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