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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Attn: Document Control Desk
Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Sir:

Subject: Three Mile Island Nuclear Station Unit 1 (TMI-1)
Operating License No. DPR-50
Docket No. 50-289
Technical Specification Change Request No. 216
"Change to the Requirements to Test for Operability Prior
to Removing Emergency Core Cooling Systems from Service
Prior to Maintenance"

In accordance with 10 CFR 50.4 (b)(1), enclosed is Technical Specification
Change Request No. 216.

Also enclosed is one signed copy of the Certificate of Service for this request
which confirms service to the chief executives of the township and county in
which the facility is located, as well as the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Bureau of Radiation Protection.

The proposed amendment changes the requirement to test for operability, prior
to maintenance of ECC System components, to a requirement to ensure operability
based on the verification of completion of appropriate surveillance and
inservice test and inspection activities.

Sincerely,

T. G. Broughton
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Vice President and Director, TMI-1

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Enclosures: 1) Technical Specification Change Request No. 216
2) Certificate of Service for Technical Specification Change
Request No. 216

cc: Region 1 Administrator
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