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Mr. Robert M. Gallo Chief, Operating License Branch Nuclear Regulatory Commission Mail Stop 10D22 One White Flint North 11555 Rockville Pike Rockville, MD 20852

Dear Mr. Gallo:

In recent months, my staff has been working with your staff to negotiate the sale of the Shoreham Simulator to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission. This equipment is a state-of-theart BWR-4 simulator, fully operational, ready for immediate disassembly and shipment. As you are aware, current market price for such equipment purchased new would be many millions of dollars. Additionally, several years of manufacture, setup and testing would be required. LILCO is very interested in seeing this valuable piece of equipment put to good use, as well as recouping a good portion of our investment.

During the last several months other government and industry organizations have expressed interest in obtaining the Shoreham Simulator. Because of Public Service Commission requirements, now that other parties are interested for various uses, we will be issuing a bid solicitation, on a "where is/as is" basis, for the subject Simulator. The NRC's Contract Administration group will of course be included in the solicitation. It is my sincere hope that the NRC is successful in making the winning bid for this valuable piece of equipment and that this valuable training tool be used as a benefit to the nuclear program in this country.

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