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

Dear Sir:

Subject: Three Mile Island Nuclear Station, Unit 1 (TMI-1)
Operating License No. DPR-50
Docket No. 50-289
LER 98-012-00, "Control Room Habitability Boundary Ventilation
Damper Found Out of Position Due to Lack of Controls for That Particular
Damper"

This letter transmits TMI-1 Licensee Event Report (LER) No. 98-012-00 regarding a control room damper in the control building habitability emergency ventilation envelope that was discovered out of position. The root cause of the event was identified as lack of controls placed on that particular damper. This condition was determined to be reportable in accordance with 10CFR50.72(b)(1)(ii)(B) as a condition outside of the design basis and notification was made via the ENS telephone on August 28, 1998. This LER is being submitted pursuant to 10 CFR 50.73(a)(2)(ii). 1/1
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The event did not adversely affect the health and safety of the public. There were no safety consequences as a result of this event. For additional information regarding this LER contact Bob Knight of GPU Nuclear, TMI Nuclear Safety & Licensing at (717) 948-8554.

Sincerely,

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cc: Administrator, NRC Region I
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