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SUBJECT: NYPIRG 2.206 Petition on Indian Point

This is in response to your memorandum of December 6, 1985, requesting a finding and determination about whether, at the present time, the offsite radiological emergency response plans for Indian Point are adequate to protect the health and safety of school children in the event of a radiological emergency at the site. You ask specifically about the significance of any remaining deficiencies with respect to the ability to take adequate measures to protect school children. This information is needed to assist you in formulating the final Director's Decision on the 2.206 petition (CLI-85-06) filed by the New York Public Interest Research Group (NYPIRG) on these issues.

The original deadline for our response was extended to May 1, 1986. However, we would like to request an additional extension in order to incorporate information from an upcoming meeting about the status of these issues at Indian Point. Attending the meeting will be representatives from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Region II, Nuclear Regulatory Commission Region I, New York State, the four counties surrounding Indian Point, the New York Power Authority and Consolidated Edison. The meeting is now scheduled to take place on May 9, 1986, in the offices of FEMA Region II. We intend to develop, as a result of the meeting, a definitive schedule of actions by the State of New York to resolve the issues involved in the NYPIRG petition. With such a schedule, we could tell NRC when we could deliver a finding based on the corrective actions.

We regret that we cannot deliver the finding by May 1. However, we believe that information available as a result of the May 9 meeting would be valuable in determining the status of offsite preparedness at Indian Point. If you have any questions, please feel free to call me or Robert S. Wilkerson, Chief, Technological Hazards Division, at 646-2861.

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