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PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION OF SAFEGUARDS EVENT--PNS-I-84-11A

This preliminary notification constitutes EARLY notice of events of POSSIBLE national security or public interest significance. The information is as initially received without verification or evaluation, and is basically all that is known by the Region I staff on this date.

Facility: Consolidated Edison Company of NY Licensee Emergency Classification:
Indian Point Unit 2 _____ Notification of Unusual Event
Buchanan, New York _____ Alert
(D/N 50-247) _____ Site Area Emergency
_____ General Emergency
_____ X Not Applicable

Subject: FALSIFIED RECORDS OF EMPLOYMENT LETTERS (UPDATE)

On June 13, 1984, the licensee furnished Region I with an update on the status of their investigation into the credibility of the Laborers Union, Local 275, "good guy" letters. The licensee held meetings with union officials in Peekskill, New York, on June 8 and 11, 1984, and determined that more productive results could be obtained from records at the unions local area pension and welfare office at White Plains, New York. A review of 80 records at that office on June 12, 1984 of laborers who applied for access to the site, disclosed a total of 8 with less than 3 years union membership. Two of the 8 were the subject of the original preliminary notification which this updates. The remaining 6 will not be accepted by the licensee until background investigations are completed and satisfactory.

The licensee plans to have a meeting this week with all craft unions working at the facility to emphasize the need for and importance of following the licensee's requirements for background screening. The licensee intends to request the unions to conduct background investigations in accordance with ANSI 18.17, but doubts that the unions will agree. Crouse, Inc., a contractor presently working onsite (and the subject of PNS-I-84-07), now has a contract security agency doing their background investigations.

The State of New York has been advised of this updated information. This PN is current as of 3:30 p.m., June 13, 1984 and is issued for information only.

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