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FACILITY: INDIAN POINT NUCLEAR GENERATING UNIT NO. 2

SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF SEPTEMBER 11, 2000, MEETING REGARDING IP2
PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT AND NRC AGENCY FOCUS

On September 11, 2000, the NRC met publicly with representatives of Consolidated Edison to hear their current status of performance assessments at Indian Point 2 and of actions taken and planned for improving station performance. During the meeting, Con Ed made presentations in the areas of: reactor safety management; corrective action program; configuration management; site/design engineering; work control; training; emergency planning; and operations. Con Ed attributed historical performance deficiencies in these areas to: an isolationist culture; resource allocations; roles, responsibilities and ownership; and communications.

The NRC questioned Con Ed on various aspects of the information presented, which included discussions of the implementation of Con Ed's Business Plan and how effectively the licensee is monitoring performance. The NRC indicated that follow-up on several areas of NRC questioning will be performed, as appropriate. The NRC will use the information gained from the meeting in considering what additional NRC actions and inspections are necessary for the NRC to further assess and monitor performance at Indian Point 2. The result of this NRC determination will be documented in a letter to Con Ed.

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Attachments:

NRC Meeting Slides (Refer to Accession No. ML 003749400)
Con Ed Meeting Slides
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