



Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc.
4 Irving Place, New York, NY 10003

August 17, 1976

Re: Indian Point Unit No. 3
Docket No. 50-286

Mr. James P. O'Reilly, Director
Office of Inspection and Enforcement, Region 1
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
631 Park Avenue
King of Prussia, Pennsylvania 19406

Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

In accordance with the Technical Specifications of Facility Operating License No. DPR-64, the following confirms the personal notification to Mr. John Streeter of your office on August 17, 1976 of Reportable Occurrence No. 76-3-30(A). The occurrence is the type defined by Regulatory Guide 1.16, Revision 4, Section C.2.a(3).

While operating at approximately 88% of licensed power, radiation monitors and containment humidity detection systems indicated a reactor coolant leak to containment. A containment entry was made and the leak was determined to be in primary sample line No. 59 for hot leg loops 1 and 3 downstream of the delay coils. The line was isolated and repairs will be effected at the next outage of sufficient duration.

Very truly yours,

Walter Stein
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