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Gentlemen:

MILLSTONE NUCLEAR POWER STATION, UNIT NO. 3  
DETAIL REVIEW SCHEDULE MEETING AND SCHEDULE  
FOR DOCUMENTATION OF DEVIATIONS FROM THE  
JULY 1981 RE-ISSUE OF THE SRP

During an April 26, 1982 telephone conversation between your Mr. C. Grimes and our Mr. J. M. Powers, the subject of what is an acceptable submittal date for our documentation of deviations from the SRP was discussed. Mr. Grimes indicated that it would be acceptable to submit this documentation at the approximate time our OL Application is formally docketed and that this would not impact the acceptability of our Application during the mini-review prior to docketing. Because of the relatively short time frame between the issuance of the final rule on Documentation of Deviations from the SRP (March 18, 1982) and the time when we will be submitting our OL Application (November 1982), we tentatively plan to submit documentation of deviations from the SRP upon the docketing of our application. This is necessary to enable us to prepare a quality document that will be accurate and most useful to the NRC Staff reviewers. We propose that a submittal date for this documentation be finalized during a future meeting to discuss the detail review schedule for the Millstone Unit No.3 OL Application. You should anticipate a meeting of this kind to occur between yourself, your management, and our management shortly after Millstone Unit No. 3's construction status

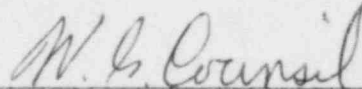
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is reviewed by the NRC Caseload Forecast Panel which you have indicated should occur sometime this summer. For our information, we request that a letter be provided telling us when the Caseload Forecast Panel will be visiting the Millstone Unit No. 3 site and also an outline of what assumptions and methodology is used to forecast our construction progress.

We trust in your concurrence in the above discussion and anticipate your timely response to our request for information.

Very truly yours,

NORTHEAST NUCLEAR ENERGY COMPANY

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "W. G. Counsil", is written over a horizontal line.

W. G. Counsil

Senior Vice President

cc: C. Grimes  
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