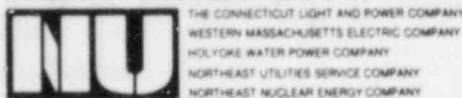


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Docket No. 50-423  
B10882Director of Nuclear Reactor Regulation  
Mr. B. J. Youngblood, Chief  
Division of Licensing  
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, D. C. 20555Reference: (1) W. G. Counsil to B. J. Youngblood, Response to the Requests  
for Additional Information that Resulted from the  
Acceptance Review, dated, March 31, 1983.

Dear Mr. Youngblood:

Millstone Nuclear Power Station, Unit No. 3:  
Deferral of Responses to two (2) Acceptance Review  
Questions and an Enclosure

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In our responses to question numbers 440.8 and 480.5 and Enclosure 4, item 1, contained in Reference 1, we committed to providing a more complete response by August of 1983. At this time we are still unable to respond to these requests for additional information. We are therefore changing our commitment as follows: "to be provided at a later date." This revision to the responses to questions 440.8 and 480.5 will be forwarded along with Amendment 4 to the FSAR in late September 1983.

Very truly yours,

NORTHEAST NUCLEAR ENERGY COMPANY, ET AL  
By NORTHEAST NUCLEAR ENERGY COMPANY, Their AgentW. G. Counsil  
Senior Vice PresidentSTATE OF CONNECTICUT )  
                                  ) ss. Berlin  
COUNTY OF HARTFORD )

Then personally appeared before me W. G. Counsil, who being duly sworn, did state that he is Senior Vice President of Northeast Nuclear Energy Company, a Licensee herein, that he is authorized to execute and file the foregoing information in the name and on behalf of the Licensees herein and that the statements contained in said information are true and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief.

My Commission Expires March 31, 1988