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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Attention: Document Control Desk
Washington, DC 20555

Dear Sir:

Subject: Three Mile Island Nuclear Generating Station, Unit 1 (TMI-1)
Operating License No. DPR-50
Docket No. 50-289
Technical Specification Change Request No. 252
Removal of Chemical Addition System Requirements from Technical
Specifications to the Core Operating Limits Report

In accordance with 10 CFR 50.4(b)(1), enclosed is Technical Specification Change Request (TCSR) No. 252.

Also enclosed is a Certificate of Service for this request certifying service to the chief executives of the township and county in which the facility is located, as well as the designated official of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Bureau of Radiation Protection.

The purpose of this TSCR is to request relocation of the volume and boron concentration requirements for the chemical addition system boric acid mix tank and reclaimed boric acid storage tank to the existing TMI-1 Core Operating Limits Report (COLR). The proposed change is consistent with the intent of NRC Generic Letter 88-16 guidance with regard to placing cycle-dependent parameters into the COLR. The proposed change is also consistent with the intent of the Standard Technical Specifications for Babcock and Wilcox Plants, NUREG-1430, July 1992, since chemical addition tank volume and boron concentration parameters are not specified in these Standard Technical Specifications.

It is requested that the amendment authorizing this change be issued to support TMI-1 Cycle 11 startup (September 1995) in order to preclude the need for a technical specification change request to revise these specific parameters as a result of the Cycle 11 core reload evaluation.

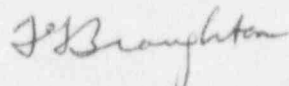
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Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.91(a)(1), enclosed is our analysis, applying the standards in 10 CFR 50.92 to make a determination of no significant hazards considerations.

Sincerely,



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Vice President and Director, TMI

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Enclosures: (1) Technical Specification Change Request No. 252
(2) Certificate of Service for Technical Specification Change Request No. 252

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