

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

BEFORE THE ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD

In the Matter of)
METROPOLITAN EDISON COMPANY, ET AL.)
(Three Mile Island Nuclear Station,)
Unit No. 1))

Docket No. 50-289
(Restart Remand
on Management)

AFFIDAVIT OF DR. JULIUS J. PERSENSKY

I, Julius J. Persensky, being duly sworn state as follows:

1. I am employed by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission as the Section Leader of the Personnel Qualifications Section, Licensee Qualifications Branch, Division of Human Factors Safety. A copy of my professional qualifications is already on record in this proceeding.

2. The purpose of this affidavit is to respond to the Licensing Board's Partial Initial Decision of May 3, 1985 (LBP-85-15), in which Licensee was ordered to present to the parties and seek their approval of its proposal for a plan to evaluate the performance of its trained licensed operators in the job setting, in order to provide feedback into the TMI-1 licensed operator training program. Specifically, this affidavit is to notify the Board that the NRC Staff has reviewed Licensee's proposed plan and finds that the plan constitutes a satisfactory response to the Board's Order.

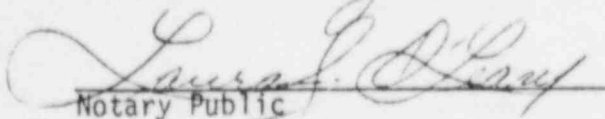
3. I have reviewed Licensee's Proposed Evaluation Plan and attachments (the Plan), which was transmitted to the parties by memorandum of May 28, 1985 from Deborah B. Bauser. On June 11, 1985 I attended a meeting at Ms. Bauser's office. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the comments of the parties on the Plan. At that meeting, I transmitted to her and to Dr. Robert Long, Licensee's Vice-President of Nuclear Assurance, the Staff's comments on the Plan and received clarification from Licensee on a few points raised by the Plan.

4. On June 13, 1985, Dr. Long and I spoke by telephone. In our conversation, we discussed each of the changes which Licensee was making to its Plan in response to the Staff's comments, and Dr. Long represented to me that the changes discussed would be incorporated into the Plan as it will be submitted to the Licensing Board. I am satisfied that the Plan, as revised to contain the Staff's suggested changes, fully meets the intent of the Licensing Board's May 3, 1985 Order and is acceptable to the Staff.

The foregoing is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.


Julius J. Persensky, Ph.D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 14th day of June, 1985


Notary Public

My commission expires: July 1, 1986

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I hereby certify that copies of "NRC STAFF RESPONSE TO LBP-85-15" in the above-captioned proceeding have been served on the following by deposit in the United States mail, first class, or, as indicated by an asterisk, by deposit in the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's internal mail system, this 17th day of June, 1985:

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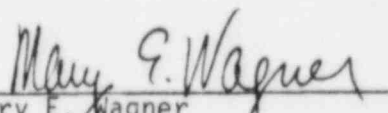
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