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Docket No. 50-29

Yankee Atomic Electric Company  
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Gentlemen:

We are enclosing herewith an amendment to 10 CFR Part 140, "Financial Protection Requirements and Indemnity Agreements," which will become effective March 1, 1972. The amendment is being forwarded to the Federal Register for publication as an effective rule.

This amendment gives effect to the recent increase, from \$82 million to \$95 million, in available nuclear energy liability insurance provided by Nuclear Energy Liability Insurance Association and Mutual Atomic Energy Liability Underwriters. Inasmuch as you are a licensee of a facility for which the amount of financial protection required under Section 170b. of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, and Section 140.11(a)(4) of 10 CFR Part 140, shall be the maximum amount available from private sources, it will be necessary that you submit, by March 1, 1972, proof of financial protection in the amount of \$95 million. Such proof may be in the form of endorsements to your nuclear energy liability insurance policies.

An appropriate amendment to your indemnity agreement is currently being prepared and will be forwarded to you upon receipt of proof of financial protection in the revised amount as stated above.

Please contact us if you have any questions with regard to the foregoing.

Sincerely,

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Lyall Johnson, Director  
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Amendment to 10 CFR Part 140

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