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Docket No. 50-320

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Dear Mr. Arnold:

The Commission's "Order for Temporary Modification of License" issued June 12, 1980, amended section 2.1.2 of the Appendix B technical specifications for Three Mile Island Unit 2 (TMI-2) as follows:

"Only for the period of the purge of the TMI-2 reactor building atmosphere, Section 2.1.2h is deleted and Section 2.1.2a and 2.1.2c are superseded by the following:

Do not exceed for the maximally exposed individual in any one of the 16 (22 1/2⁰) sectors centered on the TMI-2 reactor building any of the following:

- (a) 15 mrem skin dose
- (b) 5 mrem total body dose
- (c) 20% of the limits in (a) and (b) shall not be exceeded over any one hour period.

In addition, pursuant to Section 6.8.2 of the proposed Appendix A Technical Specifications, NUREG-0432, made binding on the licensee by the February 11, 1980 order of the Director of the Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation (NRR), any purging shall be conducted in accordance with procedures approved by the Director, NRR.

Under the above conditions, the licensee is to minimize the total time required to complete purging the reactor building to 10 CFR Part 20 MPC (for workers)."

Additionally another Commission "Memorandum and Order" dated June 12, 1980 provided the Commission's approval and guidance for purging the reactor building atmosphere at TMI-2. Pursuant to the June 12 Orders this letter is issued as a formal notification that the NRC staff considers the TMI-2 reactor building atmosphere purge complete as of July 11, 1980 and that the two Commission Orders lapsed as of that date.

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Accordingly, effluent releases from TMI-2 should again be conducted in accordance with the original Appendix B technical specifications, the Interim Criteria for Radiological Effluents from TMI-2 Data Gathering and Maintenance Operations (SECY-80-175) which were approved by the Commission on April 7, 1980 and the applicable requirements of the Commission's February 11, 1980 "Order for the Three Mile Island Nuclear Station Unit 2."

Sincerely,

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