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August 17, 1972

Westinghouse Electric Corporation
200 Park Avenue
New York, N. Y. 10017

Re: Indian Point #3
Contract WEM 70545
Safety Regulations

Attn: Mr. D. J. Jerome

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Gentlemen:

This is in reference to your August 2nd letter concerning OSHA regulations in regard to asbestos and insulation dust.

It is our understanding that Mr. George Crooks of Forty-Eight Insulations Inc. of Aurora, Illinois has had considerable discussions with Westinghouse personnel concerning the substitution of their products, as described in the brochure herewith, for the Calcium Silicate Insulation we had intended to use. He has talked to your Messrs. M. Foxman and J. Davidson in Lester, Pa. as well as Mr. Lucke and yourself. Since their insulations are mineral fiber material without asbestos it would effectively eliminate the problems outlined in your August 2nd letter. Although we have not had any field experience with this material, we have every reason to believe it will perform as indicated and hold a contract at present with Consolidated Edison Company of N. Y. (through Wolff & Mandler, Inc.) for using this type material in their East River Station. We have no cost experience for the labor involved but believe that no change in cost will be required and so commit ourselves.

If you require any additional information in order to make judgment on this substitution please so advise. We await your further instructions.

Very truly yours,

ROBERT A. KERSBEY COMPANY

Paul Totschalta, Jr.
Vice President

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cc: Mr. Frank Lucke

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