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Quad Cities Nuclear Power Station, Units 1 and 2
Facility Operating License Nos. DPR-29 and DPR-30
NRC Docket Nos. 50-254 and 50-265

Subject: Quad Cities-Unreviewed Safety Questions Related to 10 CFR Part 50,
Appendix R

- Reference:
- (1) NRC Letter from S.N. Bailey to O.D. Kingsley (ComEd), dated January 4, 2000, "QUAD CITIES-UNREVIEWED SAFETY QUESTIONS RELATED TO 10 CFR PART 50, APPENDIX R (TAC NOS. MA1427, MA1428, MA1542 AND MA1543)"
 - (2) Letter from D.A. Sager (ComEd) to USNRC, "Unreviewed Safety Question Involving Use of Station Blackout (SBO) Diesel Generators (DGs) and use of Mobile Safe Shutdown (SSD) Batteries in the Appendix R SSD Analysis," dated March 31, 1998
 - (3) Letter from D.A. Sager (ComEd) to USNRC, "Unreviewed Safety Question Involving Additional Operator Manual Actions in the Appendix R Safe Shutdown Report (SSR)," dated April 13, 1998.

Reference 1 letter outlined the NRC's understanding of our Unreviewed Safety Questions related to 10 CFR Part 50, Appendix R, "Fire Protection Program For Nuclear Power Facilities Operating Prior To January 1, 1979." The NRC requested that Commonwealth Edison (ComEd) Company confirm the NRC's understanding.

The purpose of this letter is to confirm that our ongoing improvement efforts associated with 10 CFR Part 50, Appendix R will eliminate and/or modify the existing Unreviewed Safety Questions described in Reference 2 and Reference 3 letters.

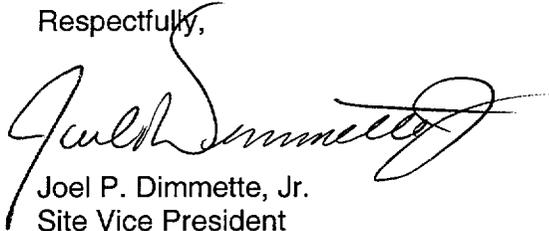
Procedural actions implemented in parallel with our submittals (References 2 and 3) will continue to remain in place until revisions to the Safe Shutdown Analysis are completed.

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Should you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Mr. C.C. Peterson at (309) 654-2241, extension 3609.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Joel P. Dimmette, Jr.", written in black ink.

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cc: Regional Administrator – NRC Region III
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