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

- Subject: Revision to Schedule for Completion of Instrument Setpoint/Uncertainty Calculations
- References: (1) Letter from J. P. Dimmette, Jr. (ComEd) to USNRC, "Reply to a Notice of Violation," SVP-98-278, dated August 21, 1998.
 - (2) Letter from J. P. Dimmette, Jr. (ComEd) to USNRC, "Revision to Schedule for Completing Setpoint/Uncertainty Calculations for Specific Functions," SVP-99-105, dated May 20, 1999.
 - (3) Letter from J. P. Dimmette (ComEd) to USNRC, "Licensee Event Report (LER) 98-006, Revision 1, for Quad Cities Nuclear Power Station," SVP-98-204, dated May 29, 1999.
 - Letter from J. P. Dimmette, Jr. (ComEd) to USNRC, "Revision to Schedule for Completion of Setpoint/Uncertainty Calculations," SVP-99-213, dated November 1, 1999.

The purpose of this letter is to provide the NRC a revised schedule for the completion of our commitments made in Reference 4.

The subject calculations have been committed to be performed as part of the Improved Technical Specification (ITS) project. As part of the ITS project, we are extending the surveillance test interval from 18 to 24 months for many instruments. This extension has required us to evaluate the historical instrument performance as an input to the calculations. This has impacted the schedule for final issuance.

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Actions associated with calculation revisions will be completed as follows.

- The overall schedule for calculation revisions required by References 2 and 3 is unchanged in that they will be issued by July 1, 2000.
- The schedule committed in Reference 4 will be superceded, in that those calculations needed to support the ITS project (originally scheduled to be completed by February 28, 2000) will now be completed in accordance with the ITS Program Plan. These calculations will also be completed by July 1, 2000.
- The recommended setpoints will be implemented coincident with the implementation of the Improved Technical Specifications.

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

Respectfully

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