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Braidwood Station, Units 1 and 2
Facility Operating License Nos. NPF-72 and NPF-77
NRC Docket Nos. STN 50-456 and STN 50-457

Byron Station, Units 1 and 2
Facility Operating License Nos. NPF-37 and NPF-66
NRC Docket Nos. STN 50-454 and STN 50-455

Dresden Nuclear Power Station, Units 2 and 3
Facility Operating License Nos. DPR-19 and DPR-25
NRC Docket Nos. 50-237 and 50-249

LaSalle County Nuclear Power Station, Units 1 and 2
Facility Operating License Nos. NPF-11 and NPF-18
NRC Docket Nos. 50-373 and 50-374

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: Withdrawal of Request for Inservice Testing Program Relief Regarding
Establishment of New Reference Values of Pump Vibration

Reference: Letter from R. M. Krich (Commonwealth Edison Company) to U.S. NRC,
"Request for Inservice Testing Program Relief Regarding Establishment
of New Reference Values of Pump Vibration," dated April 20, 1999

In the referenced letter, Commonwealth Edison (ComEd) Company requested that the NRC approve a proposed alternative to the requirements of 10 CFR 50.55a(f), "Inservice Testing Requirements," regarding the establishment of new reference values for pump vibration at Byron Station, Braidwood Station, Dresden Nuclear Power Station, LaSalle County Station, and Quad Cities Nuclear Power Station. This request was made in accordance with 10 CFR 50.55a, "Codes and Standards," subsection (a)(3)(ii).

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We are withdrawing this request for NRC approval and will continue to meet the currently approved pump vibration testing requirements and acceptance criteria.

Should you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact Mr. J. A. Bauer at (630) 663-7287.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "R. M. Krich". The signature is stylized and cursive.

R. M. Krich
Vice President – Regulatory Services

cc: Regional Administrator – NRC Region III
 NRC Senior Resident Inspector – Braidwood Station
 NRC Senior Resident Inspector – Byron Station
 NRC Senior Resident Inspector – Quad Cities Station
 NRC Senior Resident Inspector – Dresden Station
 NRC Senior Resident Inspector – LaSalle County Station