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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: Retraction of Licensee Event Report 254/00-002 "Time Delay Relays not Calibrated at the Frequency Required by Technical Specifications"

Reference: Letter from J.P. Dimmette, Jr. (ComEd) to USNRC dated March 14, 2000, "Time Delay Relays not Calibrated at the Frequency Required by Technical Specifications"

The purpose of this letter is to retract the referenced Licensee Event Report. We have evaluated this situation and have determined that our current licensing basis supports testing of these time delay relays at a refueling outage frequency of every eighteen months.

This frequency was incorporated in our Technical Specifications with Amendment 88 for Unit 1 and 83 for Unit 2 on June 6, 1984. During the Technical Specification Upgrade Project, the frequency (i.e. once per eighteen months) of time delay relay testing was requested to be removed from the Technical Specifications to owner controlled documentation and was approved by Amendments 164/160 on November 20, 1995. Therefore, the frequency of testing these time delay relays was not changed and remains at a frequency of once every eighteen months in accordance with our surveillance procedures.

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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 black ink, appearing to read "Joel P. Dimmette, Jr.", written in a cursive style.

Joel P. Dimmette, Jr.
Site Vice President
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cc: Regional Administrator – NRC Region III
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