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Mr. John Dolan, Vice President
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Dear Mr. Dolan:

On September 20, 1983, the NRC issued Amendment 74 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-58 for the Donald C. Cook Nuclear Plant, Unit No. 1. The Safety Evaluation supporting the amendment found that changes to specification 4/3.2.6 were acceptable on the condition that the peaking factor limit report be transmitted to the NRC for review 60 days prior to the scheduled startup date for the new cycle. By letter dated March 26, 1987, the Indiana and Michigan Electric Company proposed to change this condition and submit the report 15 days prior to the Cycle 10 initial criticality. The IMEC letter also proposed technical specifications to that effect.

We are in the process of evaluating our requirements, including an acceptable change to technical specifications. We will be discussing these changes with your staff in the near future; therefore, we agree that a change for Cycle 10 is appropriate. For Cycle 10, IMEC should submit the peaking factor limit report 30 days after initial criticality. This change in submittal date does not change plant operation or the safety analysis and continues to provide timely notice to the NRC.

If there are any questions on this matter, please let us know.

Sincerely,

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