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Gentlemen:

Please reference my letter dated August 3, 1984, informing you of a new system for acknowledging receipt of licensee correspondence concerning items of noncompliance found during an inspection.

In an effort to further reduce unnecessary paperwork, use of the preprinted acknowledgement letter referenced in my August 3 letter will be discontinued as of January 1, 1985. If your response is found to be adequate, no acknowledgement letter will be issued. If your response requires additional information or clarification, you will be informed by this office. All licensee correspondence and NRC letters relative to that correspondence will continue to be provided to the PDR and persons on the Region III distribution list for the particular facility.

If you have any questions concerning this practice, please contact me at (312) 790-5677.

Sincerely,

James G. Keppler Regional Administrator

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American Electric Power Service Corporation Indiana and Michigan Electric Company

The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company

Commonwealth Edison Company

Consumers Power Company

Dairyland Power Cooperative

The Detroit Edison Company

Illinois Power Company

Iowa Electric Light and Power Company

Northern States Power Company

Public Service Indiana

Toledo Edison Company

Union Electric Company

Wisconsin Electric Power Company

Wisconsin Public Service Corporation

Battelle Columbus Laboratories

Combustion Engineering, Inc.

General Electric Company

Kerr-McGee Chemical Corporation

Purdue University

Ohio State University

University of Illinois

University of Michigan

LETTER SENT TO THE FOLLOWING:

University of Missouri

University of Wisconsin

Westinghouse Electric Corporation

The Curators of the University of Missouri - Rolla

Iowa State University

Michigan State University

Dow Chemical U.S.A.

Abbott Laboratories

Amersham Corp.

Honeywell, Inc.

Mallinckrodt, Inc.

Minnesota Mining & Manufacturing Co.

Monsanto Research Corp.

Allied Chemical Company of Allied Corporation

Advanced Medical Systems, Inc.