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SUBJECT: Dresden Station Units 1, 2, and 3 response to I. E. Bulletin  
No. 76-06 NRC Dockets 50-10, 50-237, 50-249.

In response to the requested actions concerning diaphragm failures in air operated auxiliary actuators for safety/relief valves, the following precautions have been implemented. These precautions only apply to Units 2 and 3 since Unit 1 has no valves of this type.

There is no thermal insulation installed in the air actuator of the Target Rock safety/relief valves. To prevent this situation from occurring in the future, a precaution has been incorporated in procedure DMP 538.

It was verified with the vendor that the shelf life of replacement diaphragms is indefinite and the service life is five (5) years. Procedure DMP-538 requires that Target Rock air actuator diaphragms be replaced on a schedule more frequent than five (5) years rather than only inspected.

The above actions were implemented to comply with items 1 through 3 of I. E. Bulletin 76-06.

Sincerely,

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