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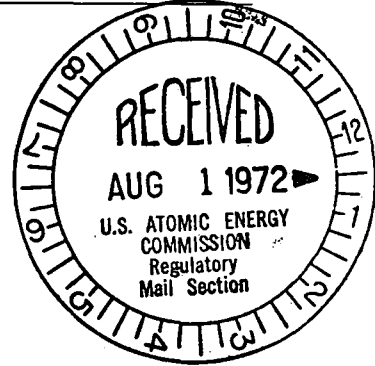
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July 31, 1972



Mr. John F. O'Leary, Director
Directorate of Licensing
United States Atomic Energy Commission
Washington, D. C. 20545

Re: Benefit-Cost Analysis Report for
Dresden Units 2 and 3, Dockets
Numbers 50-237 and 50-249

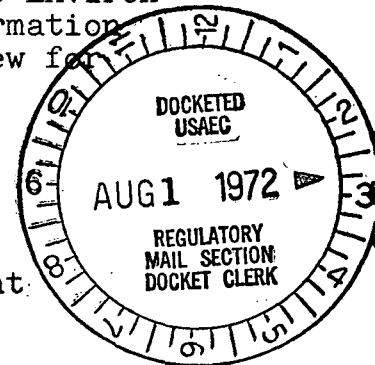
Dear Mr. O'Leary:

Commonwealth Edison Company herewith submits three signed originals and 297 copies of the benefit-cost information for Dresden Unit 3 as requested by letter of A. Giambusso, May 12, 1972.

Dresden Unit 3 is identical to Dresden Unit 2. A combined FSAR was filed simultaneously for both dockets on November 17, 1967. Dresden Unit 2 currently holds only a provisional operating license which terminates December 31, 1972. Thus, the issuance of a full-term operating license will require a NEPA review for Dresden Unit 2 as well.

The enclosed benefit-cost information is applicable to both Dresden Unit 2 and Dresden Unit 3 and the text reflects that a benefit-cost analysis has been made for both units where appropriate. Therefore, we request that benefit-cost information be regarded by the Commission as having been submitted in the Dresden Unit 2 docket (No. 50-237), as well as in the Dresden Unit 3 docket (No. 50-249). If additional copies of the Environmental Report, its Supplement and the benefit-cost information will aid in the expeditious processing of the NEPA review for Dresden Unit 2, we will be pleased to provide them.

Very truly yours,
Byron Lee Jr.
Byron Lee, Jr.
Assistant to President



SUBSCRIBED and SWORN to
before me this 31st day
of July 1972.

Peterson A. Wilson
Notary Public

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