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Docket No. 50-249

Mr. Leroy Stratton
 Bureau of Radiological Health,
 Illinois Department of Public Health,
 Springfield, Illinois 62706

Dear Mr. Stratton:

The Atomic Energy Commission has forwarded to the Office of the Federal Register for filing and publication a notice relating to the proposed issuance of a facility operating license to Commonwealth Edison Company for operation of the Dresden Nuclear Power Station Unit 3 at steady state power levels not to exceed 2527 megawatts (thermal). The notice provides that in the event construction has not been completed to permit full power operation, the Commission may issue a facility operating license consistent with the level of construction completed to permit initial fuel loading and low power testing prior to issuance of the full power license. The reactor is located on the applicant's site near Morris, in Grundy County, Illinois.

Copies of the notice, proposed license, and a related safety evaluation prepared by the Division of Reactor Licensing are enclosed for your information.

Sincerely yours,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY
 Peter A. Morris

Peter A. Morris, Director
 Division of Reactor Licensing

Enclosures:

1. Fed. Reg. Notice
2. Proposed License
3. DRL Safety Evaluation

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