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Docket No. 50-237; 50-249/93-12  
License No. DPR-19; DPR-25

Commonwealth Edison Company  
ATTN: L. O. DelGeorge  
Vice President, Nuclear Oversight  
and Regulatory Services  
Executive Towers West III  
1400 Opus Place, Suite 300  
Downers Grove, IL 60515

Dear Mr. DelGeorge:

This refers to the inspection conducted by M. Peck, A. M. Stone, C. Gill, D. Hills, D. Liao, and C. Zelig of this office, and by R. Zuffa of the Illinois Department of Nuclear Safety, on March 16 through May 5, 1993. The inspection included a review of activities authorized for your Dresden Nuclear Station, Units 2 and 3, facility. At the conclusion of the inspection, the findings were discussed with those members of your staff identified in the enclosed report.

Areas examined during the inspection are identified in the report. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observation of activities in progress.

Based on the results of this inspection, certain of your activities appeared to be in violation of NRC requirements, as specified in the enclosed Notice of Violation (Notice). Although Section 2.201 requires you to submit to this office, within 20 days of your receipt of this Notice, a written statement of explanation, we note that this violation had been corrected and those actions were reviewed during this inspection. Therefore, no response with respect to the violation is required.

During this inspection, certain other of your activities appeared to be in violation of NRC requirements. The non-cited violation described in paragraph 6 of the enclosed inspection report was categorized as Severity Level V and is not being cited because the criteria specified in Section VII.B of the "General Statement of Policy and Procedures for NRC Enforcement Actions," (Enforcement Policy, 10 CFR Part 2, Appendix C), were satisfied.

A weakness in the implementation of your Shutdown Risk Program management controls was identified during the inspection. Signs identifying plant equipment as "shutdown risk protected pathway components" were found unattached to the designated components. You are requested to provide a written response to this office within 30 days addressing the weakness along with corrective actions to prevent recurrence.

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We will gladly discuss any questions you have concerning this inspection.

Sincerely,

*Original Signed By*  
Brent Clayton, Chief  
Reactor Projects Branch 1

Enclosures:

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2. Inspection Reports  
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