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United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Attention: Document Control Desk
Washington, D.C. 20555

Subject: Dresden Nuclear Power Station Units 2 and 3
Supplement to Application for Amendment of Facility
Operating License DPR-19 and DPR-25
Technical Specifications
NRC Docket Nos. 050-237 and 050-249

References: A. J. Stephen Perry to USNRC letter dated June 20, 1996,
Dresden Nuclear Power Station Units 2 and 3
Application for Amendment of Facility Operating
License DPR-19 and DPR-25
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B. J. Stephen Perry to USNRC letter dated December 30, 1996,
Dresden Nuclear Power Station Units 2 and 3
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Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.90, ComEd submitted the Reference A and B documents to revise the Technical Specifications to transition to Siemens Power Corporation's ATRIUM-9B Fuel. The purpose of this letter is to supplement References A and B to address an additional comment as discussed with the NRC staff.

The References proposed adding Insert D to page B 3/4.11-1 of the Technical Specifications. The following change to Insert D is proposed:

Technical Specification Bases Section 3/4.11.A. ComEd proposes to change the words "the requirements of 10 CFR 50.46" to "the requirements of Appendix K of 10 CFR Part 50." The text of Insert D should read "Appendix K of 10 CFR Part 50" when discussing the calculational model requirements.

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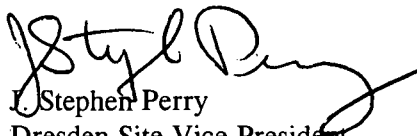
The revised Insert D is attached and supercedes the previously submitted Insert D.

With the exception of the above proposed change, the Description and Evaluation (Attachment A) provided in Reference A is unaffected. Furthermore, the Evaluation of Significant Hazards (Attachment C), Environmental Assessment Applicability Review (Attachment D), and the Identification and Description of Any Irreversible Consequences (Attachment E) of Reference A are unchanged and consistent with the proposed change herein.

This proposed supplement to the amendment has been reviewed and approved by ComEd On-Site and Off-Site Review in accordance with procedures.

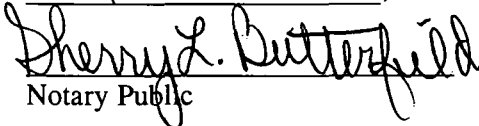
Please direct any questions you may have concerning this submittal to Frank Spangenburg, Regulatory Assurance Manager at (815) 942-2920, ext. 3800.

Respectfully,


J. Stephen Perry
Dresden Site Vice President

Subscribed and Sworn to before me

on this 5 day of
March, 1997


Notary Public



Attachment: Revised Bases Page B 3/4.11-1, Insert D.

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