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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Attention: Document Control Desk
Washington, DC 20555

Subject: Braidwood Units 1 and 2 (NRC Docket Nos. 50-456/457)
Byron Units 1 and 2 (NRC Docket Nos. 50-454/455)
Dresden Units 2 and 3 (NRC Docket Nos. 50-237/249)
LaSalle Units 1 and 2 (NRC Docket Nos. 50-373/374)
Quad Cities Units 1 and 2 (NRC Docket Nos. 50-254/265)
Zion Units 1 and 2 (NRC Docket Nos. 50-295-304)

Supplemental Information Regarding Commonwealth Edison Company's (ComEd)
Response to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) Request for Information
Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.54(f) Regarding Safety Performance at ComEd

- References: (1) Letter from J. J. O'Connor, dated March 28, 1997; Providing ComEd's Response to "Request for Information Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.54(f) Regarding Safety Performance at Commonwealth Edison Company Nuclear Stations."
- (2) Letter from T. J. Maiman to U.S. NRC dated April 15, 1997; Transmitting Information on ComEd Nuclear Operations Division Performance Indicators.

Dear Mr. Callan:

In Reference (1), ComEd provided its response to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) request for information pursuant to 10 CFR 50.54(f) regarding safety performance at ComEd. We provided under separate cover, via Reference (2), information regarding the performance indicators that ComEd selected to measure its performance across the six nuclear stations. Also included were the definitions and threshold values for each specific indicator.

The purpose of this letter is to inform you of changes that we are making to the threshold values for five indicators. The specific changes are as follows:

- Indicator I7 - Industrial Safety Accident Rate Threshold: Industrial safety accident rate exceeds 0.4. This change involved the selection of a specific threshold value consistent for all six sites in lieu of established site target.
- Indicator C2 - Out of Service Errors Threshold: Greater than 5 errors per year. This change reflects a more aggressive goal from the previous 1 error per month.

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- Indicator C4 - Temporary Plant Alterations Threshold: Greater than or equal to 10% deviation from established workdown curve. This change was made to allow sites to develop goals which more appropriately reflect site status (i.e. outage versus non-outage conditions).
- Indicator C7 - Percent Floor Space Contaminated Threshold: Greater than 1% above site goal. This change was made to appropriately reflect site status (i.e. outage versus non-outage conditions).
- Indicator C15 - Repeat Events Threshold: Greater than or equal to 2 repeat events per month. This change involved the selection of a specific threshold value consistent for all six sites in lieu of a site specific value.

As you are aware, certain ComEd NOD indicators do not have specific threshold values associated with them at this time. A threshold value will be selected following trending the indicator for a period of time. We will continue to communicate any such changes to the indicators in written correspondence as well as in our routine performance status meetings.

Sincerely,



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