

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION

10-27-65

In the Matter of
COMMONWEALTH EDISON COMPANY }

Docket No. 50-237

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STAFF'S REPLY TO APPLICANT'S
MOTION FOR PREHEARING CONFERENCE

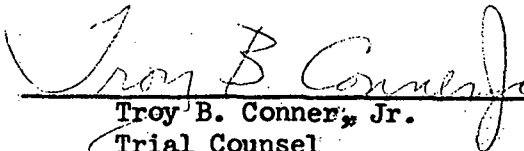
On October 25, 1965, the applicant filed a "Motion of Applicant Commonwealth Edison Company for Pre-hearing Conference." The Motion requested that a prehearing conference be scheduled for the first week in November and suggested that a suitable site would be the Exposition Building at the Dresden Nuclear Power Station.

The staff assents to the applicant's Motion, subject to the availability of the members of the board under the schedule proposed. At the prehearing conference the staff will be prepared to present an outline of the evidence it will offer at the hearing. We also plan to discuss the comparison of the similarities and differences, which are referred to in the application, between this facility and boiling water reactors of the same type for which construction permits have been issued recently.

We will also identify the material which we expect to constitute the decisional record in the proceeding and the staff's witnesses who will testify concerning the staff's "Safety Evaluation."

We believe that this presentation well in advance of the hearing may materially assist the board in its review of the application and related documentary material.

Respectfully submitted,


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Trial Counsel

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland,
this 27th Day of October, 1965.