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Subject: Dresden Station Units 2 and 3
Additional Response to Inspection Report No.
50-249/80-09
Seismic Design of Dresden CRD Piping
NRC Docket Nos. 50-237/249

Reference (a): J.G. Keppler to C. Reed
dated July 17, 1980

(b): D. L. Peoples letter to J. G. Keppler
dated June 13, 1980

Dear Mr. Keppler:

Reference (a) identified two items which require additional clarification concerning the CRD system design at Dresden Units 2 and 3. Although Commonwealth Edison believes that the documents submitted by Reference (b) show that seismic loads were considered in the design of the CRD piping, a comparison of as-built piping and hangers between Dresden and Quad Cities should satisfy the remaining concerns.

Therefore, at the next extended outage at each of the units a walkdown of the insert and withdrawal lines routing and support will be performed. A comparison will then be made between Dresden and Quad Cities to verify that the designs are the same. Since sufficient documentation of Quad Cities seismic design exists, a favorable comparison would verify the seismic design of Dresden. If irreconcilable differences do exist, a seismic reanalysis of the Dresden piping which is affected would be considered.

Please address any questions concerning this matter to this office.

Very truly yours,

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