



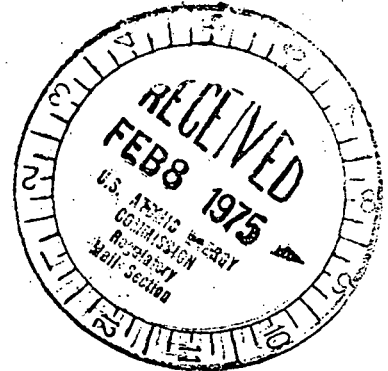
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Subject: Dresden Units 1, 2 and 3
 Quad-Cities Units 1 and 2
 IE Bulletin No. 75-1
 NRC Dkts. 50-10, 50-237,
50-249, 50-254 and 50-265

Dear Mr. Case:

Commonwealth Edison Company hereby requests approval to deviate from certain "Actions to be Taken by Licensees" which were delineated in the subject IE Bulletin. In addition to the extent of the inspection interval requested for Dresden Unit 1 in a letter to you dated January 31, 1975, we specifically request approval for certain deviations from the schedule and the inspection technique.

It is our understanding that the intent of the subject bulletin is that all the required inspections be completed by February 19, 1975 and the results reported in writing within 10 days or at the latest March 1, 1975. As you are aware, the bulletin is applicable to the five subject plants in our system. The proposed schedules for completing the required inspections at these units are the following:

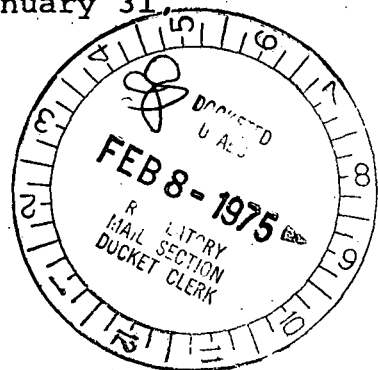
Dresden Unit 1 as discussed in the January 31, 1975 letter.

Dresden Unit 2 February 7, 1975.

Dresden Unit 3 February 25, 1975.

Quad-Cities Unit 1 February 10, 1975.

Quad-Cities Unit 2 February 20, 1975.



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The slight delays in completion of Dresden Unit 3 and Quad-Cities Unit 2 are necessary because of system load conditions and manpower availability. We believe these deviations will not compromise safety and will maintain reliable service.

The small delay in the inspection schedule will result in the work being accomplished at a time which will minimize the effects on outage length. Quad-Cities Unit 2 is currently shutdown for a refueling outage and will remain shutdown until the inspections are completed; therefore, delaying the inspections involves no hazard to the public. Dresden Unit 3 will be shutdown prior to February 19, 1975, and the inspection will be completed as soon as possible following shutdown. This schedule is expected to allow Quad-Cities Unit 1 to return to service prior to shutdown of Dresden Unit 3. Information concerning the results of the inspection will be provided to NRC Region III as soon as it becomes available.

Currently, the inservice inspection programs at Dresden and Quad-Cities Stations are performed in accordance with ASME B&PV Code Section XI 1971, Summer Addenda. We request approval to use the 1971 Summer Addenda in lieu of the 1974 edition of Section XI. Using existing Section XI 1971 Summer Addenda procedures will expedite the inspection and provide results consistent with previous ISI results. We are proceeding with the inspections on this basis and any change will require significant lost time. Under the circumstances, any benefits to be gained from applying the 1974 edition of Section XI are far out weighed by the costs in time and manpower.

Your early response concerning this request will be appreciated. If you have any questions, please contact my office.

Very truly yours,



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