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Mr. Harold R. Denton, Director
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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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Subject: Dresden Station Units 2 and 3
Quad Cities Station Units 1 and 2
DRAFT Technical Specifications
Reactor Protection System (RPS)
Protective Relaying Modifications
NRC Docket Nos. 50-237, 50-249,
and 50-254, and 50-265

- References (a): T. J. Rausch letter to D. B. Vassallo
dated July 23, 1982.
- (b): T. J. Rausch letter to H. R. Denton
dated February 4, 1983.
- (c): B. Rybak letter to H. R. Denton
dated April 20, 1983.

Dear Mr. Denton:

Commonwealth Edison provided a DRAFT Technical Specification in Reference (c). NRC staff, upon its review, requested two changes:

- (1) Section 3.F.2.b should read as follows:
With both RPS electric power monitoring channels for an inservice RPS MG set or inservice alternate power source inoperable restore to OPERABLE status within 30 minutes, or remove the associated RPS MG set or alternate power source from service.
- (2) Section 4.F.1.a should read as follows:
At least once per 6 months by performing a channel functional test, and

Commonwealth Edison has reviewed these changes and concur. Therefore Technical Specification changes will be prepared and submitted. For the units that have this modification already installed, Dresden Unit 2 and Quad Cities Unit 1, the Technical Specifications will be submitted within 6 months. For the remaining two units the Technical Specifications will be submitted within 3 months after their completion. Please note, we have determined that operation with this RPS modification, installed in accordance with 10 CFR 50.59, and without Technical Specifications in no way comprise the safe operation of these facilities.

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If you have any questions regarding this matter please contact this office.

One (1) signed original and sixty (60) copies of this transmittal is provided for you use.

Very truly yours,



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