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Subject: Dresden Station Units 2 & 3
Supplement 1 to NUREG - 0737
Safety Parameter Display System
NRC Docket Nos. 50-237 & 50-249

Reference (a): D. M. Crutchfield letter to D. L. Farrar
dated June 12, 1984 (Confirmatory Order)

(b): Cordell Reed letter to H. R. Denton
dated November 15, 1983.

Dear Mr. Denton:

The referenced Order required the Safety Parameter Display System (SPDS) be fully operational and operators trained by January 1, 1985, consistent with the definition of operable as stated in Reference (b).

The SPDS will be in service on Unit 3 by January 1, 1985. As for Unit 2, SPDS will be in service prior to that unit's startup from its current refueling outage. That startup date is currently projected for early February, 1985.

It should be noted that several modifications initiated in September, 1984 affect four points used as inputs to SPDS. These are: A3453 and A2453 - Service Water Effluent Monitors, A2824 - Radwaste Effluent Monitor, and A2224 - Unit 1 Chimney Flow Monitor. These modifications were initiated in anticipation of a future Appendix I Technical Specification Requirement to upgrade the monitors for improved sampling of radioactive effluents. The modifications are scheduled to be completed in May, 1985. Although inputs from the existing monitors are currently available, they will be considered "out of service" until the new monitors are installed and verified under the test program.

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If you have any questions, please contact this office. One (1) signed original and forty (40) copies of this letter are provided for your use.

Sincerely,

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