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Gentlemen:

The enclosed report refers to the special onsite review conducted by the NRC Augmented Inspection Team (M. A. Ring, I. T. Yin, I. Villalva, T. M. Tongue, W. B. Grant and S. G. DuPont of this office with assistance from P. Y. Chen and A. J. H. Lee (NRR), M. Russell (INEL), and P. D. Kaufman (Resident Inspector)) on August 7 through 25, 1987. The review was in response to the recent feedwater transients at the Dresden Nuclear Power Station, Units 2 and 3 authorized by Operating License Nos. DPR-19 and No. DPR-25 with special emphasis placed on the Unit 3 event which resulted in system damage. The essence of our findings were discussed with Mr. E. Eenigenburg and others of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

The enclosed copy of our inspection report identifies areas examined during the inspection. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of a selective examination of procedures and representative records, observations, and interviews with personnel.

The major purpose of the Augmented Inspection Team (AIT) was to perform onsite fact finding regarding the event. Issues identified by the AIT may be examined for possible regulatory violations in subsequent inspections.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790, of the NRC "Rules of Practice", Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, a copy of this letter and the enclosure(s) will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

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We will gladly discuss any questions you have concerning this inspection.

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY E. G. GREENMAN Charles E. Norelius, Director Division of Reactor Projects

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