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Docket No. 50-237 Docket No. 50-249

Commonwealth Edison Company ATTN: Mr. Cordell Reed Vice President Post Office Box 767 Chicago, IL 60690

Gentlemen:

This refers to the routine safety inspection conducted by S. G. DuPont and P. D. Kaufman and others of our Regional, Resident and NRR staff on July 24 through October 22, 1987, of activities at Dresden Nuclear Power Station, Units 2 and 3, authorized by NRC Operating Licenses No. DPR-19 and No. DPR-25 and to the discussion of our findings with Mr. E. Eenigenburg and others 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.

During this inspection, certain of your activities appeared to be in violation of NRC requirements, as described in the enclosed Notice. The inspection showed that action had been taken to correct the identified violations and to prevent recurrence. Our understanding of your corrective actions are described in Paragraph 3 of the enclosed inspection report. If you do not agree with our statement of your corrective actions, you are requested to inform us in writing. Otherwise no reply to the violations is required and we have no further questions regarding this matter at this time.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790, of the Commission's regulations, a copy of this letter and the enclosed inspection report will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

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

Sincerely,

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Original Signed by J. M. Hinds

W. L. Forney, Chief Reactor Projects Branch 1

Enclosures:

- 1. Notice of Violation
- 2. Inspection Reports

No. 50-237/87026(DRP); No. 50-249/87025(DRP)

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