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Mr. Thomas E. Murley, Director
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555

Subject: Dresden Station Units 2 and 3
"Application for Amendment to Facility
Operating License DPR-19 and DPR-25,
Appendix A Technical Specifications"
NRC Docket Nos. 50-237 and 50-249

Dear Mr. Murley:

Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.90, Commonwealth Edison proposes to amend Appendix A, Technical Specifications to Facility Operating Licenses DPR-19 and DPR-25. The proposed amendment revises the Unit 2 and 3 Technical Specifications as part of the Dresden Station Improvement Program's Technical Specification Action Plan and in support of the upcoming refuel outage. The proposed change rewrites Specification 3.5.F.3 replacing it with more prescriptive requirements for Emergency Core Cooling System (ECCS) operability during cold shutdown and refueling. The changes are listed in Attachment 1 and further described in Attachment 2.

The proposed changes have been reviewed and approved by both On-Site and Off-Site review in accordance with Commonwealth Edison Company procedures. We have reviewed these proposed amendments in accordance with 10 CFR 50.92(c) and determined that no significant hazards consideration exists. This evaluation is documented in Attachment 3.

Commonwealth Edison is notifying the State of Illinois of our application for this amendment by transmitting a copy of this letter and its attachment to the designated State Official.

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Review and approval of this amendment is required by November 4, 1988 in order to avoid delays during the Dresden 2 Cycle 11 refueling outage associated with initiating DCRDR related modifications on the Core Spray and LPCI systems. Your cooperation in a timely review would be appreciated since issuance significantly after that date has a potential to impact the outage critical path.

Please direct any questions you may have regarding this matter to this office.

Very truly yours,



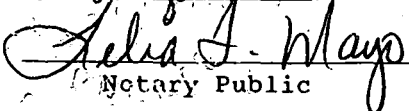
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- Attachments 1: Proposed Change to Appendix A Technical Specification for Dresden Station Units 2 and 3 Facility Operating Licenses DPR-19 and DPR-25
- 2: Summary of Changes
 - 3: Evaluation of Significant Hazards Consideration

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before me this 31st day
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