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Subject: Dresden Nuclear Power Station Units 2 and 3  
Withdrawal of Previous Amendment Request on  
Leak Detection and ISI Interval  
NRC Docket Nos. 50-237 and 50-249

- References (a): Letter from J.R. Wojnarowski to H.R. Denton  
dated October 29, 1985.
- (b): Letter from J.A. Zwolinski to D.L. Farrar  
dated March 22, 1985.
- (c): Letter from W.E. Morgan to T.E. Murley dated  
July 29, 1988.
- (d): Letter from M.H. Richter to T.E. Murley dated  
July 21, 1989.

Dr. Murley:

Reference (a) provided proposed changes to the Dresden Units 2 and 3 technical changes in response to the Reference (b) request. The changes were intended to a) implement the coolant leak detection requirements of Generic Letter 84-11 for Dresden Unit 2, b) revise the ISI time period to reflect the second 10-year program, and c) correct various typographical errors.

Subsequently, Generic Letter 88-01 was issued which requires further leak detection Technical Specification changes to be submitted. Since the definition of the 10-year ISI program is administrative in nature and since the amendment related to Generic Letter 88-01 will supercede the previously proposed leakage detection provisions, Commonwealth Edison wishes to withdraw the Reference (a) amendment request. The amendment request to be submitted in

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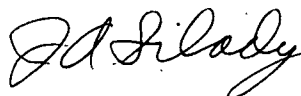
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its place will address leakage detection requirements (as discussed in the References (c) and (d) responses to Generic Letter 88-01). This has been discussed with the NRR Project Manager for Dresden, B.L. Siegel.

Please contact this office should further information be required.

Very truly yours,



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