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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, DC 20555

Subject: Dresden Station Units 2 and 3  
Quad Cities Station Units 1 and 2  
Application for Amendment to Facility  
Operating Licenses DPR-19, DPR-25, DPR-29  
and DPR-30 Appendix A, Technical Specifications  
NRC Docket Nos. 50-237/249 and 50-254/265

Reference: R. Stols to T.E. Murley letter dated June 26, 1989.

Dr. Murley:

Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.90, Commonwealth Edison proposes to amend Appendix A, Technical Specification to Provisional Operating License DPR-19 and Facility Operating Licenses DPR-25, DPR-29 and DPR-30 for Dresden and Quad Cities Nuclear Power Stations, respectively. The proposed Technical Specifications revise the pressure-temperature operating limits to reflect the requirements of Regulatory Guide 1.99, revision 2. In addition, Commonwealth Edison proposes to remove the reactor vessel venting requirement based on an analysis performed by General Electric which has demonstrated that venting is not required. These proposed changes are listed in Attachment 1 and further described in Attachments 2 and 3.

The proposed changes have been reviewed and approved by both On-site and Off-site Review in accordance with Commonwealth Edison Company's procedures. The proposed amendments have been reviewed in accordance with 10 CFR 50.92 (c) and it has been determined that the proposed amendment does not involve a significant hazards consideration. The evaluation is documented in Attachment 4.

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

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Please direct any questions on the proposed amendment to this office.

Very truly yours,



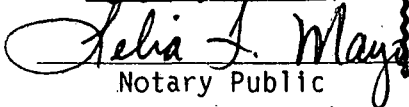
R. Stols  
Nuclear Licensing Administrator

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- Attachments
- 1: Proposed Changes to Appendix A Technical Specifications
  - 2: Summary of Changes
  - 3: Description and Bases for Amendment Request
  - 4: Evaluation of No Significant Hazards
  - 5: General Electric Report SASR 89-54, Pressure Temperature Curves per Regulatory Guide 1.99 Revision 2 for the Dresden and Quad Cities Nuclear Power Stations dated August, 1989
  - 6: General Electric Report NEDO-21778-A, "Transient Pressure Rises Affecting Fracture Toughness Requirements for Boiling Water Reactors, dated December, 1978
  - 7: General Electric Report MDE-20-0185, "Dresden and Quad Cities Nuclear Power Plants Supplement to NEDO-21778-A", dated December, 1984

cc: A.B. Davis - Regional Administrator, RIII  
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 of October, 1989

  
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