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Nuclear Reactor Regulation  
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20555

Subject: Dresden Station Units 2 and 3  
Quad Cities Station Units 1 and 2  
Zion Station Units 1 and 2  
LaSalle County Station Units 1 and 2  
Byron Station Units 1 and 2  
Braidwood Station Units 1 and 2  
Supplemental Response to NRC Notification of  
Employees' Potential Safety Issues  
Docket Nos. 50-237/249, 50-254/265, 50-295/304  
50-373/374, 50-454/455, 50-456/457

- References:
- (a) V. Stello (NRC) letter to B. Thomas (CECo), dated April 27, 1989.
  - (b) M. Richter (CECo) letter to U.S. NRC, dated July 31, 1989.
  - (c) M. Richter (CECo) letter to U.S. NRC, dated September 15, 1989.
  - (d) M. Richter (CECo) letter to U.S. NRC, dated October 30, 1989.

Dear Sir:

Reference (a) reemphasized to licensees their responsibilities to assure that employees, including those of the licensee's contractors and subcontractors, are permitted to contact the NRC with concerns about potential safety issues. Additionally, licensees were requested to examine current and previous labor settlement agreements to assure that restrictive clauses, which would hinder the employees from providing information of potential safety issues to the NRC, are not present. References (b), (c) and (d), which provided Commonwealth Edison's (CECo's) previous responses on this issue, indicated that the review of labor settlement agreements for contractor personnel was still in progress. This letter presents a status on the review of contractor agreements.

In Reference (d), CECo indicated that approximately 100 past and present contractors had been contacted by letter. To date, 42 of these companies have confirmed in writing that they had not entered into any labor settlement agreements which contained restrictive clauses.

CECo has contacted by telephone 48 companies who did not respond to the original written request. To date, 38 of these companies have confirmed that they had not entered into any labor settlement agreements which contained restrictive clauses. The remaining 10 companies are presently completing a review of their records.

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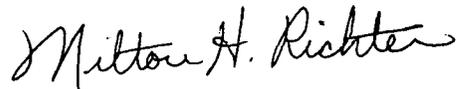
CECo has been unable to contact 5 companies which have not recently been used. These companies could not be contacted at the address available in CECo records. It should also be noted that 2 additional companies are no longer in business.

CECo will "follow-up" with those 10 companies that are still reviewing their records, and will make a final attempt to contact those 5 companies which could not be previously located. It is expected that these activities will be completed by February 15, 1990, at which time a final response will be transmitted.

If any restrictive clauses are found during this contractor review, CECo will promptly notify the employee and make every effort to notify any former employee that the restriction should be disregarded. Additionally, CECo will notify the NRC if any restrictive clauses are found.

Please direct any questions that you may have concerning this response to this office.

Respectfully,



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