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Commonwealth Edison Company ATTN: Mr. Cordell Reed Senior Vice President

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Gentlemen:

This refers to the routine inspection conducted by Messrs. R. A. Paul and M. A. Kunowski of this office on March 27 through April 10, 1990, of activities at Dresden Nuclear Power Station, Units 2 and 3, authorized by NRC Operating Licenses No. DPR-19 and No. DPR-25, to the discussion of our findings with Mr. E. D. Eenigenburg and others at the conclusion of the onsite inspection, and to the discussion by telephone with Ms. D. Saccomando on April 10, 1990.

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.

No violations of NRC requirements were identified by the inspectors during the course of this inspection; however, several exposures exceeding administrative limits and an unplanned extremity exposure of 7 rem appeared to result from a weakness in prejob dose evaluation. The weakness is addressed in Section 5 of the enclosed Inspection Report. We request that you inform us, in writing within 60 days of the date of this letter, of your corrective actions for the weakness.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the Commission's regulations, a copy of this letter, the enclosures, and your response to this letter will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

The response requested by this letter is not subject to the clearance procedures of the Office of Management and Budget as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980, PL 96-511.

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

Sincerely,

L. Robert Greger, Chief Reactor Programs Branch

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