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Subject: Dresden Station Unit 3  
 Quad-Cities Station Unit 2  
 Startup/Shutdown Cycles  
NRC Docket Nos. 50-249 and 50-265

References (a): K. R. Goller letter to R. L. Bolger  
 dated October 23, 1976.

(b): K. R. Goller letter to R. L. Bolger  
 dated November 8, 1976.

Dear Mr. Davis:

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As requested in References (a) and (b), the startup/shutdown cycles on Dresden Unit 3 and Quad-Cities Unit 2 are being monitored for transmittal on a quarterly basis. These cycles are being counted in accordance with the criteria set out in General Electric Service Information Letter (SIL) No. 207; i.e., a startup/shutdown cycle is a reactor thermal power increase from nominally zero and subsequent return to zero which produces both pressure and temperature changes.

Tabulated below are the startup/shutdown cycles which Dresden Unit 3 and Quad-Cities Unit 2 have undergone during the first quarter of 1977.

Startup/Shutdown Cycles in First Quarter of 1977

<u>Unit</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Cumulative # of SU/SD Cycles Since Last Refueling Outage</u>
Dresden 3	12/31/76	Accumulated Cycles	1½
Dresden 3	2/20/77	Snubber Outage	2½
Quad-Cities 2	12/31/76	Accumulated Cycles	8½
Quad-Cities 2	2/19/77	Generator Outage	9
Quad-Cities 2	3/17/77	Startup	9½

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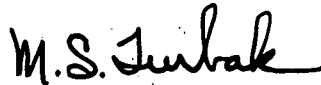
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<u>Unit</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Cumulative # of SU/SD Cycles Since Last Refueling Outage</u>
Quad-Cities 2	3/23/77	Scram	10½
Quad-Cities 2	3/26/77	Maintenance Outage	11½

One (1) signed original and 59 copies of this letter are provided for your use.

Very truly yours,



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Nuclear Licensing Administrator  
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