

UNITED STATES

NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

REGION III 799 ROOSEVELT ROAD GLEN ELLYN, ILLINOIS 60137

JUN 6 1979

Docket No. 50-255

Consumers Power Company
ATTN: Mr. R. B. DeWitt
Manager of Nuclear
Plant Operations
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Gentlemen:

This refers to the inspection conducted by Mr. I. T. Yin of this office, on May 14-15 and 22-23, 1979, at Palisades Nuclear Power Plant, and on May 16, 1979, at the Combustion Engineering office, authorized by NRC Provisional License No. DPR-20 and to the discussion of our findings with Mr. J. G. Lewis and others at the conclusion of the inspection.

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 items of noncompliance with NRC requirements were identified during the course of this inspection.

In accordance with Section 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, a copy of this letter and the enclosed inspection report will be placed in the NRC's Public Document Room, except as follows. If this report contains information that you or your contractors believe to be proprietary, you must apply in writing to this office, within twenty days of your receipt of this letter, to withhold such information from public disclosure. The application must include a full statement of the reasons for which the information is considered proprietary, and should be prepared so that proprietary information identified in the application is contained in an enclosure to the application.



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

Sincerely,

G. Fiorelli, Chief Reactor Construction and Engineering Support Branch

Enclosure: IE Inspection Report No. 50-255/79-08

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