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DOCKET 50-255 - LICENSE DPR-20 - PALISADES PLANT - RESPONSE TO IE INSPECTION REPORT 80-09

IE Inspection Report 80-09, dated July 21, 1980, identified a deficiency in our Palisades Plant QA Program with respect to 10 CFR 50 Appendix B, Criterion XVI.

A response to this Inspection Report was originally due August 12, 1980. Consumers Power Company requested an initial extension until August 25, 1980, during a telephone conversation between Mr D C Boyd (Region III) and Mr S R Frost (CPCo) on August 4, 1980.

Since the management of the Palisades Plant has recently changed, proper evaluation and solution of this problem has not been completed. We will submit our complete response to the subject Inspection Report by September 23, 1980.

David P Hoffman (Signed)

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