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DOCKETS 50-155 & 50-255 - LICENSES DPR-6 & DPR-20 -BIG ROCK POINT & PALISADES PLANTS - RESPONSE TO QUALIFICATION OF INSPECTION, EXAMINATION, AND TESTING AND AUDIT PERSONNEL (GENERIC LETTER 81-01)

NRC Generic Letter 81-01 dated May 4, 1981 requested Consumers Power Company to commit to meet regulatory positions C.5, 6, 7, 8 and 10 of Regulatory Guide 1.58, Revision 1, dated September 1980, and Regulatory Guide 1.146, dated August 1980, and to provide our planned date for doing so. If these methods of complying with 10 CFR Part 50, Appendix B regarding qualification of nuclear power plant inspection, examination, and testing personnel and qualification of audit personnel are not chosen, then a description of alternative methods for compliance was requested including their schedule for implementation.

Consumers Power Company commits to comply with the requirements of Regulatory Guide 1.146, dated August 1980 and to regulatory positions C.5, 6, 7, 8 and 10 of Regulatory Guide 1.58, Revision 1, dated September 1980. The implementation of these guidance documents into the new Consumers Power Company Nuclear Operations Department Standards as described in Consumers Power Company letter dated April 7, 1981 from R B DeWitt to Victor Stello (Docket 50-255) will be completed by January 1, 1983.

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