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Docket No. 50-341

Detroit Edison Company ATTN: Mr. Edward Hines Assistant Vice President and Manager Quality Assurance 2000 Second Avenue Detroit, MI 48226

Gentlemen:

This refers to the investigation conducted by Messrs. R. J. Marsh, K. D. Ward and M. J. Corcoran of this office on January 3 - 4, 1979, of activities at Fermi 2 authorized by NRC Construction Permit No. CPPR-87 and to the discussion of our findings with you, Messrs. W. J. Fahrner, W. Everett and H. A. Walker, and others of the Fermi 2 project staff at the conclusion of the investigation.

The enclosed copy of our investigation report identifies areas examined during the investigation. Within these areas, the investigation consisted of a selective examination of procedures and representative records, observations and interviews with personnel.

During this investigation, certain of your activities appeared to be in noncompliance with NRC requirements, as described in the enclosed Appendix A.

This notice is sent to you pursuant to the provisions of Section 2.201 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations. Section 2.201 requires you to submit to this office within thirty days of your receipt of this notice a written statement or explanation in reply, including for each item of noncompliance: (1) corrective action taken and the results achieved; (2) corrective action to be taken to avoid further noncompliance; and (3) the date when full compliance will be achieved.

In addition to the need for corrective action regarding those specific items of noncompliance described in Appendix A, please include in your reply those actions taken or planned to assure that the nondestructive examination services provided in the past by the Materials Assurance Company meet applicable requirements.

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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, the enclosures, and your response to this letter will be placed in the NRC's Public Document Room, except as follows. If the enclosures contain 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.

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

Sincerely,

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Gaston Fiorelli, Chief Reactor Construction and Engineering Support Branch

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Enclosures: 1. Appendix A, Notice of Violation

 IE Investigation Report No. 50-341/79-09

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