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Vickery, Ohio 43464

In the Matter of Toledo Edison Company and Cleveland Electric Illiminating Company Davis-Besse Nuclear Power Station Docket No. 50-346

Dear Mr. Pendleton:

This is in response to your letter to the Secretary of the Commission regarding the captioned matter, dated February 2, 1973.

Section 2.715(a) of the Commission's Rules of Practice (10 CFR Part 2, copy enclosed) provides that the presiding officer of the Board appointed in each case may, at his discretion, permit a person who is not a party to make an oral or written statement of his position on the issues by way of a limited appearance. To enable you to formulate any questions you may have before the start of the proceeding, I am enclosing a copy of the Regulatory Staff's Draft Environmental Statement. The Final Environmenal Statement will be sent to you upon publication - some time before the planned hearings. We believe they will answer many of your questions, and enable you to better frame those that remain.

The Commission's Office of the Secretary will send a copy of the notices establishing a time and place for the hearings.

Sincerely,

Francis X. Davis Counsel for AEC Regulatory Staff

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