

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION REGION III

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Docket No. 50-346

Toledo Edison Company ATTN: Mr. James S. Grant

Vice President - Energy

Edison Plaza 300 Madison Avenue Toledo, OH 52

Gentlemen:

This refers to the inspection conducted by Mr. A. G. Januska of this office on August 21-23, 1978, of activities at the Davis-Besse Nuclear Power Station, Unit 1 authorized by NRC Operating License No. NPF-3 and to the discussion of our findings with Mr. Green and others of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

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

During is inspection, certain of your activities appeared to be in nonco liance with NRC requirements, as described in the enclosed Appendix A. With regard to the first item of noncompliance, the inspection showed that action had been taken to correct the identified noncompliance and to prevent recurrence. Consequently, no reply to that item of noncompliance is required and we have no further questions regarding this matter at this time.

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 twenty 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 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 inspection.

Sincerely,

A. B. Davis, Chief Fuel Facility and Materials Safety Branch

Enclosures:

- Appendix A, Notice of Violation
- IE Inspection Rpt No. 50-346/78-22

cc w/encls:

T. Murray, Station Superintendent Central Files Reproduction Unit NRC 20b PDR Local PDR NSIC TIC U. Young Park, Power

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