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Consumers Power Company
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Docket No. 50-329 Docket No. 50-330

Gentlemen:

This refers to the inspection conducted by Messrs. R. A. Rohrbacher and M. W. Dickerson of this office on March 6 and 7, 1974, of activities at Midland Plant construction site authorized by AEC Construction Permits No. CPPR-81 and No. CPPR-82 and to the discussion of our findings with Messrs. Keeley, Cooke, Slager and others of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

A copy of our report of this inspection is enclosed and identifies the areas examined during the inspection. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of a selective examination of procedures and representative records, interviews with plant personnel, and observations by the inspectors.

During this inspection, it was found that certain of your activities appear to be in violation of AEC requirements. The item and reference to the pertinent requirements are listed under Enforcement Action in the Summary of Findings Section of the enclosed inspection report. Prior to the conclusion of the inspection, the inspector determined that corrective action had been taken with respect to this violation and that measures have been taken to assure that a similar, future violation will be avoided. Consequently, no reply to this letter is required, and we have no further questions regarding this matter at this time.

In accordance with Section 2.790 of the AEC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, a copy of this letter and the enclosed inspection report will be placed in the AEC's Public Document Room. If this report contains any information that you or your contractors believe to be proprietary, it is necessary that you make a written application to this office, within twenty days of your receipt of this letter, to withhold such information from public disclosure. Any such application must include a full statement of the reasons for which it is claimed that the information is proprietary, and should be prepared so the proprietary information

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identified in the application is contained in a separate part of the document. Unless we receive an application to withhold information or are otherwise contacted within the specified time period, the written material identified in this paragraph will be placed in the Public Document Room.

Should you have any questions concerning this inspection, we will be glad to discuss them with you.

Sincerely yours,

James G. Keppler Regional Director

Enclosure: RO Inspection Rpts No. 050-329/74-04 and No. 050-330/74-04

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