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In the Matter of Consumers Power  
Company Midland Plant, Units 1 and 2  
Docket Nos. 50-329 and 50-330

Dear Chairman Murphy:

I have just learned that on February 4, the Mapleton Intervenors mailed their submissions pursuant to ¶ 5B(2) of the Hearing Board's December 22, 1971 Order. Again, we have not received copies.

Enclosed is a copy of our September 24, 1971 letter to the Board making a similar protest for the third time, and requesting that the Board direct the Mapleton Intervenors to comply with the requirements of law, and specifically to furnish with each submission a certification in the form similar to that used by us.

The timetable fixed by the Board is a tight one, as we believe it should be. In this case, Opposing Intervenors' submissions were due February 4 and ours February 14. If the Board is to continue to consider defective Mapleton papers, practices such as this will inevitably lead to a breakdown of the Board's schedule.

We repeat our request that the Board take action to compel the proper service of copies by the Mapleton Intervenors.

Respectfully,

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cc: To all parties as per attached  
Certificate of Service

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