

# UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

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October 17, 1980

Mr. J. S. Abel Director of Nuclear Licensing Commonwealth Edison Company Post Office Box 767 Chicago, Illinois 60690

Dear Mr. Abel:

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission has issued a Final Environmental Statement (NUREG-0686) related to the Primary Cooling System Chemical Decontamination at Dresden Nuclear Power Station, Unit 1. Ten copies of the Final Statement are enclosed for your use. Also enclosed is a copy of a related notice of availability which has been forwarded to the Office of the Federal Register for publication.

Sincerely,

Dennis M. Crutchfield, Chief Operating Reactors Branch #5 Division of Licensing

Enclosures:

1. NUREG-0686 (10 copies)

2. Notice

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#### UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

DOCKET NO. 50-10

#### COMMONWEALTH EDISON COMPANY

#### NOTICE OF A AILABILITY OF

#### FINAL ENVIRONMENTAL STATEMENT FOR THE

### DRESDEN NUCLEAR POWER STATION, UNIT NO. 1 CHEMICAL DECONTAMINATION

Pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and the United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission's (the Commission) regulations in 10 CFR Part 51, notice is hereby given that a Final Environmental Statement has been prepared by the Commission's Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation, related to chemical decontamination of the primary cooling system at Dresden Nuclear Power Station, Unit 1 located in Grundy County, Illinois. The FES is available for inspection by the public in the Commission's Public Document Room at 1717 H Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., 20555, and in the Local Public Document Room at Morris Public Library, 604 Liberty Street, Morris, Illinois 60451. The FES concludes that the proposed decontamination will not significantly affect the quality of the human environment and that the impacts from the decontamination are outweighed by its benefits.

The notice of availability of the Draft Environmental Statement for chemical decontamination of Dresden Nuclear Power Station, Unit No. 1, and request for comments from interested persons was published in the Federal Register on June 6, 1980 (45 FR 38197). The comments received from Federal, State and local agencies and interested members of the public have been included as Appendix A to the Final Statement.

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Copies of the Final Environmer 1 Statement (NUREG-0686) may be purchased at current rates, from the National Technical Information Service, Springfield, Virginia 22161, (703) 557-4650.

Final unclassified NUREG-series documents are also available directly from NRC to those with deposit accounts with the Superintendent of Documents, U. S. Government Printing Office (see 44 FR 46005, August 6, 1979). To place orders call (301) 492-7333 or write: ATTN: Publications Sales Manager, Division of Technical Information and Document Control, U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, D. C. 20555.

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland, this 17th day of October, 1980.

Sincerely,

Dennis M. Crutchfield, Phief Operating Reactors Branch #5 Division of Licensing

## **Final Environmental Statement**

related to Primary Cooling System
Chemical Decontamination at
Dresden Nuclear Power Station, Unit No. 1

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