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In the Matter of	)	
	)	Docket Nos. 50-329-OM
CONSUMERS POWER COMPANY	)	50-330-OM
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(Midland Plant, Units 1	)	50-330-OL
and 2)	)	

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Dear Administrative Judges:

Enclosed is the first installment of Applicant's prepared testimony for the evidentiary hearings beginning February 14. Pursuant to agreement of the parties and my conversation with Chief Judge Bechhoeffer on Friday, a second installment will be filed on January 24 dealing with Sinclair contention 3 (water hammer) and certain remaining subissues of Stamiris contention 4. My understanding is that the Staff has been granted an extra week, until February 7, to file testimony with respect to the corresponding issues.

One of Applicant's witnesses on Sinclair contention 4 (steam generator corrosion due to pond water chemistry), Cris Hillman, may not be able to be present in Midland during the week of February 14 due to longstanding vacation plans. Rather than asking Mr. Hillman to cancel his vacation, we have arranged for Mr. Bill Beckman, who as Chemistry/Health Physics Superintendent at Midland Plant is Mr. Hillman's boss, to stand in for

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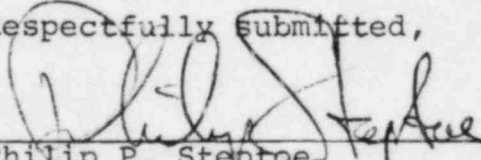
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Mr. Hillman if necessary. Mr. Beckman's resume is included with Applicant's testimony.

Also included in this package is Applicant's exhibit 29R, which is a redrafted figure showing the locations agreed upon by Applicant and the NRC Staff for Diesel Generator Building crack monitoring, together with an explanation of the frequency and acceptance criteria for such monitoring. This material is provided with the Board's permission merely for the sake of clarity; no substantive changes in the drawing or the explanation of the monitoring program have been made. (See Tr. 11068-72).

Respectfully Submitted,



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