

November 30, 1981

Mr. James G. Keppler, Director Directorate of Inspection and Enforcement - Region III U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission 799 Roosevelt Road Glen Ellyn, IL 60137

Subject: Dresden Station Units 2 and 3
Quad Cities Station Units 1 and
I.E. Bulletin 80-11, "Masonry
Wall Design" - 180 Day Report
NRC Docket Nos. 50-237/249 and

50-254/265

Reference (a): J. G. Keppler letter to Cordell Reed dated May 8, 1980.

(b): J. S. Abel letter to J. G. Keppler dated November 6, 1980.

(c): Cordell Reed letter to D. G. Eisenhut dated January 23, 1981.

Dear Mr. Keppler:

References (b) and (c) advised the NRC of the Commonwealth Edison Company intent to postpone, until November 1981, the completion of the analysis and reporting requirements of I.E. Bulletin 80-11, Item 2.b, for our Dresden Station Units 2 and 3 and Quad Cities Station Units 1 and 2.

Attached for your information and use are three (3) copies each of our postponed 180 day response to the subject bulletin for our Dresden and Quad Cities Stations, as requested in Item 2.b of Reference (a).

In both station responses, we indicate that a number of walls require further evaluation. Our estimate for completion of this evaluation effort with submittal of the results to the NRC is January 29, 1982. For those masonry walls which do not meet our acceptance criteria, the schedule date for completion of the necessary repairs to such walls is June 1, 1983. This schedule includes adequate time for design work and procurement of materials. Additionally, this schedule anticipates the difficulties associated with modifying many of these walls which are located in high radiation areas.

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Mr. J. G. Keppler - 2 -November 30, 1981 To the best of my knowledge and belief, the statements contained herein and in the attached reports are true and correct. In some respects, these statements are not based upon my personal knowledge but upon information furnished by other Commonwealth Edison employees and consultants. Such information has been reviewed in accordance with Company practice and I believe it to be reliable. Please address any questions that you may have concerning this submittal to this office. Very truly yours, E. Douglas Swart Nuclear Licensing Administrator Attachment cc: NRC Office of Inspection and Enforcement Division of Reactor Operations Inspection Washington, D.C. 20555 Region III Inspector - Dresden Region III Inspector - Quad Cities SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to of December, 1981. EDS/1m