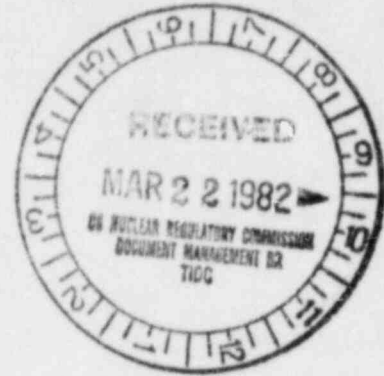




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Subject: LaSalle County Station Units 1 & 2
 Deletion of Topical Report CE-1-A
 from FSAR Chapter 17
NRC Docket No. 50-373 and 50-374

Dear Mr. Schwencer:

The purpose of this letter is to request your approval to delete the text of Commonwealth Edison Topical Report CE-1-A from Chapter 17 of the LaSalle FSAR.

Currently, Chapter 17 of the LaSalle County Station FSAR contains an outdated version of Topical Report CE-1-A. During the life of the station, the Topical Report CE-1-A will be changed and revised numerous times. Since its submittal in June, 1975, the NRC has specifically approved nineteen (19) revisions to this document. The FSAR, however, will be revised eventually only on an annual basis.

In order to avoid confusion and assure that anyone referring to the "Commonwealth Edison Company Quality Assurance Program for Nuclear Generating Stations" (Topical Report CE-1-A) is utilizing an up-to-date document as approved by the NRC, it is requested that you approve deletion of the Topical Report CE-1-A from the text of Chapter 17.

The enclosed one-page Chapter 17 from the Byron/Braidwood FSAR provides an example that the NRC has previously accepted for other Commonwealth Edison Company Nuclear Stations.

Please contact this office if there are any questions in this matter.

Very truly yours,

CW Schroeder 3/19/82

C. W. Schroeder
 Nuclear Licensing Administrator

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CHAPTER 17.0 - QUALITY ASSURANCE

The quality assurance program for the Byron and Braidwood Stations is conducted in accordance with the Commonwealth Edison Company Quality Assurance Program for Nuclear Generating Stations. This program was initially submitted to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission in June 1975, as Topical Report CE-1. By letter of December 29, 1975, the NRC's Chief of Quality Assurance Branch, Division of Reactor Licensing, informed Commonwealth Edison's Executive Vice President, Mr. W. B. Behnke, that this Topical Report CE-1 was an acceptable program for the design, procurement, construction and operations activities within Commonwealth Edison's scope of work for nuclear power plants. Instructions were given to reference this Topical Report in Section 17 of License applications.

Therefore the Commonwealth Edison Topical Report CE-1-A, Revision 7 and all subsequent revisions unless otherwise noted in this chapter, is the basis for the Quality Assurance Program at the Byron/Braidwood Stations.

Section 2.2 of the above referenced topical report provides for compliance with certain regulatory guides and ANSI standards. Any exceptions taken to the requirements of these guides are found in Appendix A of this FSAR. Otherwise, Byron/Braidwood Stations are in compliance with the guides and ANSI standards.

Subsection 3.2.1.1 of the FSAR states that Safety Category I systems or portions of systems and components meet the requirements of Appendix B to 10CFR50. Those structures, systems, and components classified as Safety Category I, therefore, are under control of the QA program and are listed in Table 3.2-1. Where only portions of a system are classified as Safety Category I, the P&ID's identify the boundary between Safety Category I and Safety Category II.