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Docket No. 50-155

Consumers Power Company  
ATTN: Mr. R. B. DeWitt  
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Nuclear Operations  
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Gentlemen:

This letter is to confirm the agreements reached between Mr. Fred W. Buckman, Executive Director of Nuclear Operations, and others of your staff, and Dr. Carl Paperiello, Region III, and other members of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission staff on December 9, 1981, during the management exit interview following the NRC Emergency Preparedness Appraisal of the Big Rock Nuclear Plant.

The following corrective actions are required for the significant Appraisal findings. The exact nature of the required actions, as well as the agreed upon dates for such actions, are as follows:

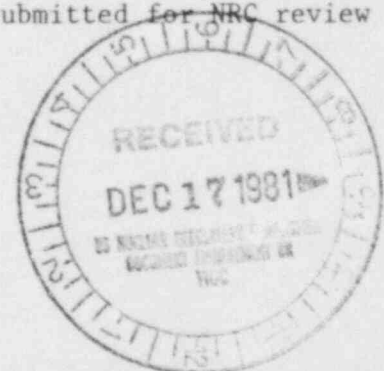
1. Emergency Implementation Procedures

Emergency Operating Procedures and Off Normal Procedures shall contain statements directing the Reactor Operator to inform the Shift Supervisor of a possible Emergency Plan Condition requiring possible classification of an event. These statements shall be conspicuous.

This shall be completed by February 15, 1982.

2. Meteorology

- a. A back-up meteorological system will be installed, consisting of wind direction and wind speed sensors mounted on the stack at the level of the isokinetic probe, and read out in the control room. This will be completed by May 15, 1982, contingent on procurement.
- b. A description of the above system will be submitted for NRC review by February 1, 1982.



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3. Emergency Action Levels

EPIP-1 will be reviewed and revised so that accident classifications are based on reliable and observable indications available to the control room operator. This will be completed by March 1, 1982.

4. Training

Personnel acting as Site Emergency Directors and Shift Technical Advisors will be trained in the revised emergency plan implementing procedures with emphasis on the classification of accidents in accordance with EPIP-1. This will be completed by May 1, 1982.

5. Back-Up Analytical Capability

An off-site laboratory facility at the EOF in Boyne City will be established by May 1, 1982.

6. Survey Procedures

Those procedures necessary to perform plant environs and off-site radiological monitoring will be consolidated into one procedure for use by monitoring teams by March 1, 1982.

If our understanding of the actions as described in this letter are not correct, you shou'd contact this office within 24 hours. Further, please provide our office written notification upon completion of your corrective actions.

Sincerely,

Original signed by  
James G. Keppler

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Regional Administrator

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