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Commonwealth Edison Company
ATTN: Mr. Cordell Reed
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Gentlemen:

This confirms our plans as discussed between Mr. [redacted] of your staff and Mr. Jack Grobe of this office to have a meeting with you and members of your staff at the NRC Regional Office in Glen Ellyn, Illinois on September 5, 1990 at 10:00 A.M. (CDT). This meeting is an Enforcement Conference to discuss your failure at Quad Cities to take prompt corrective action to provide redundancy in cooling the 1/2 Emergency Diesel Generator (EDG) and the ECCS room coolers.

During this meeting you are requested to address the following issues:

1. Why did onsite review approve the abnormal operating procedure which would have the plant with either no ECCS room coolers or no 1/2 EDG in the event of a failure of the unit EDG or unit EDG cooling system?
2. Why did the 1989 SSFI not disclose the problem with the ability of the 1/2 EDG cooling water pump to feed both the EDG and the ECCS room coolers?
3. Why didn't the corrective actions to the 1989 SSFI disclose the problem? Related items include:
 - a. Deficiency No. 13: Corrective action
 - b. Deficiency No. 18: Temporary alteration without safety evaluations.
 - c. Concern No. 14: Inadequate 1/2 EDG cooling water pump flow.
4. Why wasn't operation of the system without cooling the ECCS room coolers analyzed?

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- 5. What is the temperature profile of the room? Include the affect on the components in the ECCS rooms with no cooling from the 1/2 EDG cooling pump.

We appreciate your cooperation in this matter, and will gladly discuss any questions you may have concerning this meeting.

Sincerely,

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