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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Before the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board



In the Matter of)	Docket Nos.:
COMMONWEALTH EDISON COMPANY)	50-237, 50-249, 50-254, 50-265
(Dresden Station, Units 2 & 3, and)	Amendments to Facility
Quad Cities Station, Units 1 & 2))	Operating License Nos.:
)	DPR-19, DPR-25, DPR-29, DPR-30

ORDER

This Board, by an Order docketed on December 4, 1978, gave notice that a Special Prehearing Conference in the above proceeding would be held on January 11, 1979, in Chicago, Illinois. In response to this notice the parties to this proceeding and the persons seeking to intervene in this proceeding (petitioners) jointly arranged and participated in a telephone conference on December 11, 1978, with the Chairman of the Board in order to discuss the Special Prehearing Conference.

During the telephone conference the parties and petitioners stated their belief that the business of the Special Prehearing Conference could be conducted more effectively if the Conference were postponed. The parties and petitioners requested additional time to discuss possible contentions, and they proposed a schedule for filing and responding to contentions which would enable the Board to have received substantially all argument on the contentions by the date of the Conference. According to the schedule proposed, petitioners' contentions

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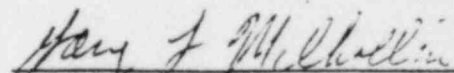
shall be filed on December 29, 1978, responses to those contentions shall be filed on January 12, 1979, and responses to the responses shall be filed on January 26, 1979. Oral argument at the Conference could be focused on the precise issues which then remain.

For good cause shown, the Special Prehearing Conference scheduled for January 11, 1979, is hereby cancelled and notice is hereby given that the Conference will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, February 1, 1979, in Room 2502, United States Courthouse and Federal Building, 219 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois.

In light of the change in the date of the Conference, the parties and petitioners are excused from the requirement that they report to the Board by December 15, 1978, the progress of their negotiations.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

FOR THE ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING
BOARD DESIGNATED TO RULE ON
PETITIONS FOR LEAVE TO INTERVENE



Gary L. Milhollin, Chairman

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin,
December 13, 1978.