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Commonwealth Edison Company
ATTN: S. Berg, Site Vice President
Braidwood Station
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Dear Mr. Berg:

We have received the enclosed Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) correspondence dated March 9, 1994, transmitting the findings for the offsite emergency preparedness aspects of the Braidwood exercise conducted on March 2, 1994. Additionally, we have enclosed the FEMA correspondence dated January 28, 1994, transmitting the findings for the offsite emergency preparedness aspects of the Braidwood exercise conducted on August 26, 1992.

FEMA identified four deficiencies in the performance of offsite agencies during the March 2, 1994, assessment. One deficiency, for "Direction and Control," is a concern as it was a problem observed in Grundy County during an exercise at Dresden on September 22, 1993, that was not satisfactorily resolved for the Braidwood exercise. FEMA identified no deficiencies in the performance of offsite agencies during the August 1992 assessment. There were, however, fourteen Areas Requiring Corrective Actions (ARCAs) identified and the appropriate objectives related to these items should be reviewed against your last scheduled exercise.

We fully recognize that any corrective actions to be implemented for these findings may involve parties and political institutions which are not under your direct control and that a remedial drill is currently scheduled for May 12, 1994.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the Commission's regulations, a copy of this letter and the enclosed FEMA correspondence will be placed in the NRC

Sincerely,
Original Signed by John A. Grobe
John A. Grobe, Acting Chief
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Enclosures: As stated

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