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Docket No. 50-454 Docket No. 50-455

Cummonwealth Edison Company ATTN: Mr. Cordell Reed Senior Vice President Opus West III 1400 Opus Place - Suite 300 Downers Grove, IL 60515

Gentlemen:

This refers to the routine safety inspection conducted by W. J. Kropp, R. N. Sutphin, D. Calhoun and T. Kobetz of this office from August 12 through October 2, 1990, of activities at the Byron Station, Units 1 and 2, authorized by NRC Operating Licenses No. NPF-37 and No. NPF-66, and to the discussion of our findings with Mr. R. Pleniewicz and others of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

The enclosed copy of our inspection report identifies areas examined during the inspection. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of a selective examination of procedures and representative records, observations, and interviews with personnel.

No violations of NRC requirements were identified during the course of this inspection.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the Commission's regulations, a copy of this letter and the enclosed inspection report will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

We will gladly discuss any questions you have concerning this inspection.

Sincerely,

W. D. Shafer, Chief Reactor Projects Branch 1

Enclosure: Inspection Report No. 50-454/90021(DRP' No. 50-455/90019(DRP)

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