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Docket No. 50-373 Docket No. 50-374

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

Gentlemen:

This refers to the routine safety inspection conducted by Messrs. R. A. Paul and A. G. Januska of this office on September 24 - 28, 1990, of activities at the LaSalle County Nuclear Station, Units 1 and 2, authorized by NRC Operating License No. NPF-11 and No. NPF-18 and to the discussion of our findings with Mr. D. Berkman others of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection on September 28, 1990.

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.

We are concerned that problems with pre-job review and planning and communications on the part of various station groups continue to be identified in your Radiological Occurrence Report System. Their persistence suggests the possible existence of a more pervasive weakness such as training which is not being effectively addressed by your corrective actions for the individual events. We request that within 30 days you inform us of actions that you have taken or plan to take to address this problem. We will continue to review this matter in subsequent inspections.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the Commission's regulations, a copy of this letter, the enclosures and your response to to this letter will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

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The responses directed by this letter and the accompanying Notice are not subject to the clearance procedures of the Office of Management and Budget as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980, PL 96-511.

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

Sincerely,

L. Robert Greger, Chief Reactor Projects Branch

Enclosure: Inspection Reports No. 50-373/90024(DRSS); No. 50-374/90025(DRSS);

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