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Docket No. 50-265
EA 90-203

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Gentlemen:

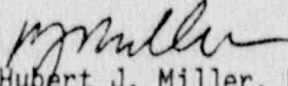
This confirms our plans as discussed between Mr. D. Galle of your staff and Mr. W. Forney of this office to have a meeting with you and members of your staff at the NRC Regional Office in Glen Ellyn, Illinois on December 7, 1990 at 9:30 a.m. (CST). This meeting is an enforcement conference to discuss the Quad Cities Unit 2 scram on October 27, 1990.

During the conference you are requested to address the issues listed in Enclosure 1.

In addition, following our meeting with you, we plan to conduct an enforcement conference at 1:00 p.m. (CST) with the shift operating crew as a group, to discuss their involvement in plant operations during the scram on October 27, 1990. In this meeting, we plan to present our expectations for licensed operator performance and to elicit responses from the crew as to their perceptions of the event, what problems they encountered that contributed to the event, and what changes they have made as a result. These individuals will each be contacted separately.

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

Sincerely,


Hubert J. Miller, Director
Division of Reactor Projects

Enclosure: As stated

See Attached Distribution

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ENCLOSURE 1

QUAD CITIES ENFORCEMENT CONFERENCE ISSUES

1. Procedural adherence problems for several sections of administrative and operations procedures.
2. Inadequate corrective actions for an identified procedural deficiency.
3. Procedural inadequacies associated with the procedure governing reactor operations for hot standby conditions.
4. The adequacy of management oversight for the reactor operations associated with the special hot standby conditions encountered.
5. The adequacy of operator training and experience for operating in this plant configuration and the CECO method of assessing crew and individual operator performance and competency beyond the requalification training program.
6. Lack of appropriate communications within and between shift crews.
7. Personnel errors by the shift crew.