

September 29, 1982

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Mr. James G. Keppler
Regional Administrator
Director of Regulatory Operations
Region III
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
799 Roosevelt Road
Glen Ellyn, IL 60137

Dear Sir:

In accordance with LaSalle County Station Unit 1 Facility Operating License NPF-11, Appendix B, Section 3.2, we are submitting to you a copy of the NPDES noncompliances for LaSalle County Nuclear Generating Station Permit No. 1L0048151.

G. J. Diederich Superintendent

LaSalle County Station

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Enclosure

cc: DVR Report

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U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region V, Enforcement Division ATTN: Chief, Compliance Unit 230 South Dearborn Street Chicago, Illinois 60604

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Division of Water Pollution Control Compliance Management Unit 2200 Churchill Road Springfield, Illinois

SUBJECT:

NPDES Noncompliances For LaSalle County Nuclear Generating Station - Permit No. 110048151

Dear Sir:

In accordance with Standard Condition 12, we wish to submit the following notice of noncompliances, which are listed chronologically in the attached table.

A correction to a previously submitted notice of noncompliance is also enclosed.

If there are any questions, please contact Joe Williams of my staff at (815) 357-6761, extension 201.

G. J. Diederich

GJF/FRL/JDW

cc: Director of Water Quality, Environmental Affairs Manager. Nuclear Stations Division

LASALLE COUNTY NUCLEAR GENERATING STATION N.P.D.E.S. PERMIT NO: IL0048151 NONCOMPLIANCE REPORT

DISCHARGE NUMBER AND DESCRIPTION: 001c - Low Volume Waste Radwaste Discharge Tanks

Total Suspended Solids - 15 mg/1 PARAMETER AND PERMIT LIMIT: Total Iron - 1.0 mg/1 NONCOMPLIANCE, DATE, AND DURATION:

TSS, 22 mg/1, August 1, 1982, 13 hours Total Iron, 6.0 mg/l, August 1, 1982, 13 hours

CAUSE OF NONCOMPLIANCE:

Mechanical problems with the Radwaste evaporators resulted poor quality water being processed to this out fall. This water was known to have been of poor quality prior to processing forward, but was not acted upon due to high water inventories in Radwaste. Once the water was discharged to this out fall tank, it could not be reprocessed, and must be discharged to the cooling Pond Blowdown line.

CORRECTIVE ACTION:

Operating personnel were notified of the need to reprocess poor quality water, instead of processing it forward. Operating personnel agreed with this, and will reprocess poor quality water. They are also attempting to correct the problems with the evaporators, which will alleviate the need for reprocessing.

DATE RECOGNIZED AS A VIOLATION:

DATE INVESTIGATED:

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