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Docket No. 50-254 Docket No. 50-265

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

Gentlemen:

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission recently received an allegation concerning activities at Quad Cities Nuclear Power Station (RIII-90-A-0116). Details of this allegation are enclosed for your review and followup.

We request that the results of your review and disposition of this matter be submitted to Region III within 45 days of the date of this letter. We request that your response contain no personal privacy, proprietary, or safeguards information so it can be released to the public and placed in the NRC Public Document Room. If necessary, such information shall be contained in a separate attachment which will be withheld from public disclosure. The affidavit required by 10 CFR 2.790(b) must accompany your response if proprietary information is included.

The enclosure to this letter should be controlled and distribution limited to personnel with a "need to know" until your investigation of the allegation has been completed and reviewed by NRC Region III. The enclosure to this letter is considered Exempt from Public Disclosure in accordance with Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 2.790(a). However, a copy of this letter, excluding the enclosure, will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

The responses requested by this letter and the accompanying enclosure 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.

Your cooperation with us is appreciated. We will gladly discuss any questions you may have concerning this information.

Sincerely.

Charles & Marelin

Charles E. Norelius, Director Division of Radiation Safety and Safeguards

Enclosure: Allegation Details (10 CFR 2.790(a) INFORMATION)

See Attached Distribution

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cc w/enclosure, w/o 10 CFR 2.790 INFORMATION: DCD/DCB (RIDS) OC/LFDCB Resident Inspectors LaSalle Dresden, Quad Cities Richard Hubbard J. W. McCaffrey, Chief, Public Utilities Division L. Olshan, NRR LPM Robert Newmann, Office of Public Counsel, State of Illinois Center