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Docket No. 50-454
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Commonwealth Edison Company
ATTN: Mr. Cordell Reed
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Gentlemen:

Thank you for your letter dated January 22, 1991, in response to our December 12, 1990 letter concerning allegations pertaining to the fitness-for-duty of a contract employee recently hired at Byron Station (Allegation RIII-90-A-0119). In our letter, we requested that you pursue this allegation and submit the results of your investigation to the NRC.

Your response indicated you were unable to substantiate that a contracting firm's newly hired Project Manager who worked at the Marble Hill nuclear construction site was allegedly heavily involved in drugs while at Marble Hill. Your response indicated that your review of this allegation consisted of reviewing: (1) the contractor's fitness-for-duty program; (2) the suitable inquiry of the subject individual, (3) the subject's pre-access test, and (4) current and past fitness-for-duty. The investigation failed to reveal any derogatory information regarding the subject. The suitable inquiry did not support any prior drug or alcohol problem. The individual's pre-access drug screen was negative; he successfully completed the psychological screening; and no records were located at Public Service of Indiana that he ever worked at Marble Hill. We found your investigation to be sufficient to support your conclusions and have no additional questions regarding this matter. We request that you retain the supporting documentation for your investigation of this allegation for a minimum of one year from the date of this letter.

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

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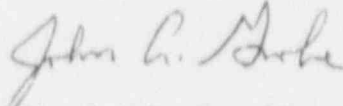
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Your cooperation is appreciated.

Sincerely,



for Charles E. Norelius, Director
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