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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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In the Matter of
CONSUMERS POWER COMPANY
(Big Rock Point Plant)
Docket No. 50-155
(Spent Fuel Pool Modification)

Dear Administrative Judges:

The NRC staff and Applicant have agreed to schedule depositions for two NRC staff witnesses in regard to possible supplemental testimony on the issue of spent fuel pool criticality (effective neutron multiplication factor).

These witnesses, Messrs. Walter L. Brooks and Daniel B. Fieno, will be made available for the taking of their depositions at Room 6110, Maryland National Bank Building, 7735 Old Georgetown Road, Bethesda, Maryland at 10:00 AM, December 29, 1982.

Any documents in the hands of these witnesses relating to issues discussed in a memorandum from the Director, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation to the Chief Administrative Judge, Atomic Safety and Licensing Board Panel, dated July 28, 1982, which was referenced in the Licensing Board's Memorandum and Order of December 14, 1982, will be provided to the parties as soon as possible in advance of the depositions.

Sincerely,

Richard J. Goddard
Counsel for NRC Staff

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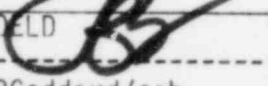
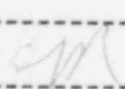
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