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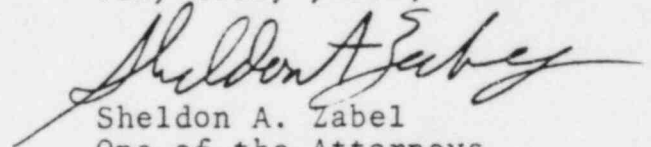
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Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

Re: Illinois Power Company, et al.
Clinton Unit I
Docket No. 50-4610L

Dear Judge Clark, Dr. Ferguson and Dr. Paris:

Illinois Power Company, pursuant to NRC requirements and requests, reports quarterly the scheduling status of Clinton Unit I. The enclosed letter to Harold Denton, Director, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation, from D. P. Hall, Vice-President Illinois Power, is in response to such a request by Mr. Denton. Because this letter discusses the current construction and scheduling status I concluded that we should furnish you with this information. Although not a formal filing in this proceeding, I am also sending copies of this letter and the enclosure to all persons on the service list in this proceeding. In the future I will send similar information to the members of the Board and the persons on the service list.

Very truly yours,



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Docket 50-461

Mr. Harold R. Denton, Director
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

Subject: Clinton Unit I Constuction Schedule Update

Reference: USNRC letter 5/29/81, H. R. Denton to
W. J. Kelley, Illinois Power Company

Dear Mr. Denton:

The referenced letter requested the Company to provide a quarterly update report on the Clinton Unit I construction schedule. The current project schedule indicates fuel load of January, 1984 and commercial operation projected for August, 1984.

Construction of Clinton Unit No. 1 is continuing at a reduced pace as a result of stop work orders issued during the first half of 1982 and restraints on the release of new work caused by an inspection backlog. The Company has presented plans to the staff of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission to resolve the problems associated with the stop work orders. Work is being partially resumed, with NRC approval, in each of the areas affected by the orders. The Company is in the process of evaluating the construction schedule and determining the extent of delay. This process will be completed by the end of May, 1983. Your office will be immediately advised when new fuel load and commercial operation dates have been established.

Sincerely yours,

D. P. Hall,
Vice President

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cc: Dr. H. Abelson, NRC Clinton Project Manager
Mr. H. H. Livermore, NRC Resident Inspector
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