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Docket No. 50-237  
Docket No. 50-249

License Nos. DPR-19; DPR-25

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

Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: NOTICE OF VIOLATION  
(NRC INSPECTION REPORT NOS. 50-237/90028(DRSS); 50-249/90027(DRSS))

This refers to the routine safeguards inspection conducted by Mr. T. J. Madeda of this office on December 11 through 18, 1990 and January 2 through 9, 1991. The inspection included a review of activities authorized for your Dresden Nuclear Power Station, Units 2 and 3. At the conclusion of the inspection, the findings were discussed with those members of your staff identified in the enclosed report.

Areas examined during the inspection are identified in the report. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of a selective examination of procedures and representative records, observations, and interviews with personnel.

Based on the results of this inspection, certain of your activities appeared to be in violation of NRC requirements, as specified in the enclosed Notice of Violation (notice). We are concerned about the violations because security managers were aware of the issues, but either failed to effectively followup on resolving the issues or incorrectly analyzed the significance of the issues.

You are required to respond to this letter and should follow the instructions specified in the enclosed Notice when preparing your response. In your response, you should document the specific actions taken and any additional actions you plan to prevent recurrence. After reviewing your response to this Notice, including your proposed corrective actions and the results of future inspections, the NRC will determine whether further NRC enforcement action is necessary to ensure compliance with NRC regulatory requirements.

Areas examined during this inspection concern a subject matter which is exempt from disclosure according to Part 73, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 73.21(c)(2). This information must be handled and protected in accordance with the provisions of 10 CFR 73.21. Consequently, Enclosure 1 to this letter, our report of the inspection (Enclosure 2) and your response to the violations identified in Enclosure 1 to this letter will not be placed in

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the NRC Public Document Room. Therefore, your statement of corrective action regarding the violations identified in Enclosure 1 should be submitted as a separate enclosure to your transmittal letter in the manner described. The Non-Safeguards Information, Enclosure 3 (Allegation Review), will be placed in the Public Document Room.

The responses directed by this letter and the enclosed Notice 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.

We will gladly discuss any questions you have concerning this inspection.

Sincerely,

L. Robert Greger, Chief  
Reactor Programs Branch

Enclosures:

1. Notice of Violation
2. Inspection Reports  
No. 50-237/90028(DRSS)  
No. 50-249/90027(DRSS)  
(SAFEGUARDS INFORMATION)
3. Allegation Review

cc w/enclosures:

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