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

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Commonwealth Edison Company ATTN: Mr. B. Rybak Nuclear Licensing Administrator Post Office Box 767 Chicago, IL 60690

Dear Mr. Rybak:

Thank you for your letter dated August 25, 1983 presenting a schedule for development and implementation of multiple peak resolution and peak reclassification enhancements to AAIS. This schedule is acceptable with the understanding that until these improvements to AAIS are implemented analysts will be instructed to visually examine spectra when Class 2 or Class 3 peaks must be used for quantitative analysis and are provided with alternate means of calculating activity when AAIS results are deemed to be unreliable. This matter was discussed by telephone on September 30, and October 7, 1983 with Mr. A. Kennedy, CECo Chemistry Control Services Supervisor.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

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C. J. Paperiello, Chief Emergency Preparedness and Radiological Safety Branch

cc: Cordell Reed, Vice President
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of Nuclear Licensing
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August 25, 1983

Mr. C. J. Paperiello, Chief Emergency Preparedness and Program Radiological Safety Branch - Region III U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission 799 Roosevelt Road Glen Ellyn, IL 60137

> Subject: Quad Cities Station Units 1 and 2 Inspection Report Nos. 50-254/82-13 and 50-265/82-15 - Open Items NRC Docket NOs. 50-254 and 50-265

- References (a): C. J. Paperiello letter to Cordell Reed dated August 7, 1982.
 - (b): T. J. Rausch letter to J. G. Keppler dated October 1, 1982.
 - (c): B. Rybak letter to J. G. Keppler dated February 14, 1983.
 - (d): B. Rybak letter to C. J. Paperiello dated June 13, 1983.

Dear Mr. Paperiello:

In the above referenced letters a commitment was made to provide schedules for enhancing the performance of AAIS. The first schedule due on August 31, 1983 involves a multiple peak resolution and peak reclassification to gamma ray analysis. The purpose of this letter is to present this schedule.

After testing various peak resolution schemes, the best results were achieved with procedures developed by Dr. Raymond Gunnink of Lawrence Livermore Laboratory. Dr. Gunnink is an expert in the field of gamma and X-ray analysis and his programs have been used and perfected over a number of year. Software to perform multiple peak resoultion and reclassification will be developed for AAIS using his procedures and approached. The timetable to complete this task is as follows:

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Software Changes Acceptance Testing Station Installation Implementation and Testing Completed by

April 2, 1984 April 16, 1984 June 18, 1984 July 2, 1984

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C. J. Paperiello

August 25, 1983

Concurrent with these activities, work will proceed on the evaluation of schemes for the next enhancement to AAIS: Improved Efficieny Calculation and Uncertainty. Progress towards an implementation timetable by December 31, 1983, is on schedule.

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If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact this office.

Very truly yours,

B. Rybak

Nuclear Licensing Administrator

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cc: NRC Resident Inspector - Quad Cities

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