

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Commonwealth Edison Company
Byron Nuclear Generating Station

Docket Nos. 50-454; 50-455
License Nos. NPF-37; NPF-66

During an NRC inspection conducted on February 10-14, 1992, a violation of NRC requirements was identified. In accordance with the "General Statement of Policy and Procedure for NRC Enforcement Actions", 10 CFR Part 2, Appendix C (1991), the violation is listed below:

10 CFR Part 50.54(q) requires that a licensee authorized to possess and operate a nuclear power reactor shall follow and maintain in effect emergency plans which meet the standards in 10 CFR Part 50.47(b) and the requirements of Appendix E to 10 CFR Part 50. The Generating Station Emergency Plan (GSEP), Section 8.5.7, states that Emergency Plan Implementing Procedures (EPIP) and corresponding lesson plans shall be developed consistent with the GSEP within 4 months of any GSEP revision.

Contrary to the above, Byron EPIP, BZP 200-A1 Revision 2, "Byron Emergency Action Levels," had not been updated as of February 14, 1992, to be consistent with Revision 4 of the Byron Annex to the GSEP which had an effective date of July 15, 1991, exceeding the 4-month period.

This is a Severity Level IV violation (Supplement VIII).

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR Part 2.201, Commonwealth Edison Company is hereby required to submit a written statement or explanation to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, ATTN: Document Control Desk, Washington, D.C. 20555 with a copy to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region III, 799 Roosevelt Road, Glen Ellyn Illinois, 60137, and a copy to the NRC Resident Inspector at the Byron Nuclear Generating Station within 30 days of the date of the letter transmitting this Notice of Violation. This reply should be clearly marked as a "Reply to a Notice of Violation" and should include for each violation: (1) the reason for the violation, or, if contested, the basis for disputing the violation, (2) the corrective steps that have been taken and the results achieved, (3) the corrective steps that will be taken to avoid further violations, and (4) the date when full compliance will be achieved. If an adequate reply is not received within the time specified in this Notice, an order or a demand for information may be issued as to why the license should not be modified, suspended, or revoked, or why such other action as may be proper should not be taken. Where good cause is shown, consideration will be given to extending the response time.

Dated at Glen Ellyn, Illinois
this 28 day of February 1992

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L. Robert Greger, Chief
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