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LICENSEES: Commonwealth Edison Company and
Entergy Operations, Inc.

FACILITIES: Arkansas Nuclear One, Unit 2
Braidwood Station, Unit Nos. 1 and 2
Byron Station, Unit Nos. 1 and 2

SUBJECT: MEETING SUMMARY - TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR
MOVEABLE CONTROL ASSEMBLIES

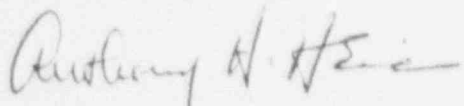
On July 24, 1991, the licensees met with the NRC staff in Rockville, Maryland, to discuss draft guidance on proposed license amendment requests to modify the Technical Specification (TS) requirements for moveable control assemblies. Meeting participants are listed in the enclosure.

Under current Standard Technical Specification (STS) requirements, a facility must be placed in hot standby within six hours when more than one control rod is inoperable but trippable. Both licensees attending the meeting recently submitted applications to amend their TS and associated bases to allow continued plant operation for 72 hours for diagnosis and repair, with more than one control rod inoperable provided that the affected control rods remain trippable and aligned and, therefore, are capable of fulfilling their primary safety function. As a result, the NRC staff is preparing a generic letter to make this proposed amendment a TS line item improvement available to all pressurized water reactor licensees.

The licensees provided input to the staff on their respective facilities for the draft guidance. The staff and the licensees came to agreement on the appropriate wording for the proposed TS amendments. The licensees agreed to rewrite their associated bases section to better reflect the changes requested

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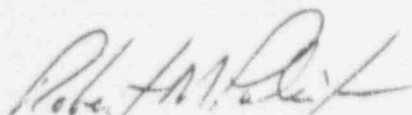
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