Illinois Power Company Clinton Power Station Docket No. 50-461 License No. NPF-62

During an NRC inspection conducted on March 9 through 13, 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 (1992), the violation is listed below:

Technical Specification 6.2.2.f requires that the Manager - Clinton Power Station or his deputy, or higher levels of management shall authorize any deviation from overtime guidelines in this specification and the basis for this deviation shall be documented.

Contrary to the above, during the period of January 4 through 19, 1992, numerous individuals within the radiation protection department worked substantial amounts of overtime in excess of the guidelines in the technical specifications. This overtime was not authorized by the Manager - Clinton Power Station and the basis for granting the deviation was not documented.

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

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 2.201, Illinois Power 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 Regional Administrator, Region III, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, 799 Roosevelt Road, Glen Ellyn, Illinois 60137, and a copy to the NRC Resident Inspector at the Clinton Power Station within 30 days of the date of the letter transmitting this Notice of Violation (Notice). This reply should be clearly marked as a "Reply to a Notice of Violation of 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 may be issued to show cause 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 10 day of April 1992

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L. Robert Greger, Chief Reactor Programs Branch