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May 25, 1984

Mr. Harold R. Denton, Director Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, DC 20555

- Subject: LaSalle County Station Units 1 and 2 Request for An Exigent Change to NPF-11 and NPF-18 Appendix A Technical Specifications Regarding Main Steam Line Tunnel ∆ Temperature High Trip Setpoint NRC Docket Nos. 50-373 and 50-374
- References (a): Technical Specifications Table 3.3.2-2
 - (b): C. W. Schroeder letter to H. R. Denton dated January 13, 1984.
 - (c): FSAR Table 7.3.2, Primary Containment and Reactor Vessel Isolation Actuation Instrumentation Setpoints.
 - (d): FSAR Section 7.3.1.1.2.4.3 Main Steamline Space High Temperature and Differential Temperature.
 - (e): LOD-15, Containment Isolation System Temperature Monitoring.

Dear Mr. Denton:

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Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.59, Commonwealth Edison proposes to amend Appendix A, Technical Specification, to Facility Operating Licenses NPF-11 and NPF-18. The proposed change is enclosed in Attachment 2. The attached change has received both On-Site and Off-Site review and approval. We have reviewed this amendment request and find that no significant hazards consideration exists. Our review is documented in Attachment 3. Commonwealth Edison is notifying the State of Illinois of our request for this amendment by transmitting a copy of this letter and its attachments to the designated State Official.

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Guidance for Technical Specification changes states:

"Exigent circumstances exist when a licensee and the NRC must act quickly and time does not allow a full 30-day notice...".

In this case, Commonwealth Edison Company believes that such action is warranted to prevent unnecessary challenges to safety systems as the result of spurious reactor isolations. Attachment 1 provides background and justification for this exigent change request.

We have determined that this request is a 10 CFR 170, Class III amendment request. As such a fee remittance of \$4,000.00 is enclosed. An additional fee of \$400.00 is enclosed for the Class I amendmet to the Unit 2 license.

Please direct any questions you may have concerning this matter to this office.

Three (3) signed originals and thirty-seven (37) copies of this transmittal and its attachments are provided for your use.

Very truly yours,

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J. G. Marshall Nuclear Licensing Administrator

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Attachments (1): Background (2): Technical Specification Changes to NPF-11 & NPF-18 (3): Evaluation of Significant Hazards Consideration

cc: Resident Inspector - LaSalle
A. Bournia - NRR
G. Wright - State of Ill.

SUBSCRIBED and SWORN to before me this 35th day of <u>May</u>, 1984 <u>Notary Public</u>