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The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company
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Gentlemen:

In response to your letter of May 17, 1984, the following clarifications are for your information:

 All personnel having previously been licensed by the NRC at a comparable reactor will meet the requirements of 10 CFR 55.25b as having extensive operating experience with the provision that the license was active for a reasonable period of time. No certification of the number of reactor start-ups will be required.

Personnel qualified in the Navy program either as Reactor Operators or Engineering Officers of the Watch will be required to certify that they have performed the required ten (10) reactor start-ups or fast scram recoveries. These candidates should also have been qualified in their positions for a reasonable period of time.

- The combination of observation training and simulator training proposed in your letter is satisfactory and will meet the requirements of the generic letter.
- 3. The proposed training on actual system design is acceptable.

Completion of the proposed training and the submittal of NRC Form 398 with the required documentation will permit the granting of a waiver to applicable portions of 10 CFR 50.25. Provided the candidates meet all other requirements of NRC regulations, we will administer examinations to candidates for operator licenses at the Perry Nuclear Plant.

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If you have additional questions concerning this matter please contact me.

Sincerely,

Original Signed by R.D. Walker

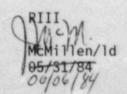
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