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Dear Administrative Judges:

In accordance with the requirements of Duke Power Co. (Williams B. McGuire Nuclear Station, Units 1 and 2) ALAB-143, 6 AEC 623 (1973), Commonwealth Edison Company is providing the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board and the parties with the Interim Report of the Independent Design Review concerning the Byron Station performed by Bechtel Power Corporation. This report pertains to the Integrated Design Inspection ("IDI") of the Byron Station conducted by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's office of Inspection and Enforcement in May and June, 1983. The IDI was discussed at the prehearing conference held on May 30 and 31, 1984 (Tr. 8228-8227) and was discussed in the Licensing Board's "Memorandum and Order Following Prehearing Conference" of June 8, 1984, at p. 11. The final report of the Bechtel Power Corporation concerning the Independent Design Review will be provided to the Licensing Board and the parties when it becomes available.

Very truly yours,

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