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Docket No. 50-346

Toledo Edison Company
ATTN: Mr. Richard P. Crouse
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Gentlemen:

This refers to the special inspection of quality assurance program activities conducted by Messrs. N. Choules, T. Vandell, R. Sutphin, H. Walker, and M. Moser of this office on April 23-27, May 1-4, and May 8-11, 1984, of activities at Davis Besse Station, Unit 1, authorized by NRC Operating License NPF-3, and to the discussion of our findings with Mr. Quennoz and others at the conclusion of the inspection.

The enclosed copy of our inspection report identifies areas examined during the inspection. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of a selective examination of procedures and representative records, observations, and interviews with personnel.

The purpose of this inspection was to assess portions of the overall quality assurance program which supports the operation of Davis Besse.

During this inspection, certain of your activities appeared to be in noncompliance with NRC requirements, as specified in the enclosed Appendix. A written response is required. Even though items of noncompliance were identified, we believe that in general our inspection indicates that an acceptable quality program has been developed for the facility. The items of noncompliance and the open items identified in this report indicate some problems are being experienced in the implementation of the developed program. Accordingly, you should give particular attention to prompt followup on these items.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790(a), a copy of this letter and the enclosures will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room unless you notify this office, by telephone, within ten days of the date of this letter and submit written application to withhold information contained therein within thirty days of the date of this letter. Such application must be consistent with the requirements of 2.790(b)(1). If we do not hear from you in this regard within the specified periods noted above, a copy of this letter, the enclosures, and your response to this letter will be placed in the Public Document Room.

The responses directed by this letter (and the accompanying Notice) are not subject to the clearance procedures of the Office of Management and Budget as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980, PL 96-511.

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We will gladly discuss any questions you have concerning this inspection.

Sincerely,

"Original signed by R.L. Spessard"

R. L. Spessard, Director
Division of Reactor Safety

Enclosures:

- 1. Appendix, Notice of Violation
- 2. Inspection Report No. 50-346/84-09(DRS)

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