Docket No. 50-254 Docket No. 50-265

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Commonwealth Edison Company ATTN: Mr. Cordell Reed Senior Vice President Licensing Department - Suite 300 Opus West III 1400 Opus Place Downers Grove, IL 60515

SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORTS NO. 50-254/92002(DRS): NO. 50-265/92002(DRS)

Dear Mr. Reed:

This refers to the routine safety inspection conducted by P. R. Rescheske and R. A. Langstaff from this office, and D. H. Schultz, COMEX (Consultant), on February 3 through 13, 1992. The inspection included a review of activities authorized by NRC Operating Licenses No. DPR-29 and No. DPR-30 for the Quad Cities Nuclear Power Station, Units 1 and 2. A discussion of our findings was held with Mr. B. Strub and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

The inspection focused on your Emergency Operating Procedures (EOPs), implementation of Revision 4 to the BWR Owners Group Guidelines (completed in May 1991), the programs for controlling and maintaining the EOPs, and your actions to resolve previously identified weaknesses in your EOP program and transition to flowchart format EOPs (identified in the NRC EOP Team Inspection Reports No. 50-254/88-200; No. 50-265/88-200). 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.

We commend your staff for the significant improvements that have been made in several areas since the 1988 EOP inspection. Management involvement in and support of the EOP program at Quad Cities was evident. The results of the inspection indicated that the Quad Cities EOP program and implementation were generally consistent with the guidance and recommendations in NUREGS 0899, 1358, and other NRC accepted documents. No violations of NRC requirements were identified during the course of this inspection; however, we do request that you respond within 30 days of the date of this letter to the open item identified

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in the enclosed inspection report. The open item concerned the completion, approval, and control of the EOP development document, which would describe the differences between your plant specific guidelines and the EOPs.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the Commission's regulations, a copy of this letter, the enclosed inspection report, and your response to this letter will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

The response directed by this letter is 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.

If you have any questions concerning this inspection, please contact Peggy R. Rescheske of my staff at (708) 790-5273.

Sincerely,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY GEOFFREY C. WRIGHT

Geoffrey C. Wright, Chief Operations Branch

Enclosure: Inspection Reports No. 50-254/92002(DRS); No. 50-265/92002(DRS)

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