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Docket No. 50-373; 50-374 License No. NPF-11; NPF-18

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

Dear Mr. Reed:

This refers to the inspection conducted by D. Hills, C. Phillips, P. Lougheed, and G. Replogle of this office, and by J. Roman of the Illinois Department of Nuclear Safety, on February 21 through April 14, 1992. The inspection included a review of activities authorized for your LaSalle County Station. Units 1 and 2. At the conclusion of the inspection, the findings were Liscussed with those members of your staff identified in the enclosed report.

Areas examined during the inspection are identified in the report. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, intervies ith personnel, and observation of activities in progress.

Based on the results of this inspection, certain of your activities appeared to be in violation of NRC requirements, as specified in the enclosed Notice of Violation (Notice). The violation is of concern because of its recurring nature.

You are required to respond to this letter and should follow the instructions specified in the enclosed Notice when preparing your response. In your response, you should document the specific actions taken and any additional actions you plan to prevent recurrence. After reviewing your response to this Notice, including your proposed corrective actions and the results of future inspections, the NRC will determine whether further NRC enforcement action is necessary to ensure compliance with NRC regulatory requirements.

Other activities were also identified to be in violation of NRC requirements during this inspection period. However, as described in the enclosed inspection report, because the violations met the criteria of the "General Statement of Policy and Procedure for NRC Enforcement Action," Enforcement Pol.cy, 10 CFR Part 2, Appendix C, and to encourage and support licensee initiatives for self-identification and correction of violations, these violations will not be cited.

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In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the Commission's regulations, a copy of this letter, the enclosures, and your response to this letter will be placed in the NRC 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.

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

Sincerely,

for Brent Clayton, Chief
Reactor Projects Branch 1

Enclosures:

1. Notice of Violation

Inspection Reports
 No. 50-373/92008(DRP);
 No. 50-374/92008(DRP)

cc w/enclosure: D. Galle, Vice President - BWR Operations T. Kovach, Nuclear Licensing Manager G. J. Diederich, Station Manager DCD/DCB (RIDS) OC/LFDCB Resident Inspectors LaSalle Dresden, Quad Cities Richard Hubbard J. W. McCaffrey, Chief, Public Utilities Division Patricia O'Brien, Governor's Office of Consumer Sarvices Licensing Project Manager, NRR Robert Newmann, Office of Public Counsel, State of Illinois Center State Liaison Officer