March 26, 1996

Mr. R. E. Querio Site Vice President LaSalle County Station Commonwealth Edison Company 2601 North 21st Road Marseilles, IL 61341

SUBJECT: PLANT PERFORMANCE REVIEW (PPR) - LASALLE

Dear Mr. Querio:

On March 6, 1996, NRC Region III management and staff completed the semiannual Plant Performance Review (PPR) of LaSalle. The Region conducts these reviews for all operating nuclear power plants to develop an integrated understanding of safety performance. The results are used by regional management to facilitate planning and allocation of inspection resources. The PPR for LaSalle involved the participation of all Region III technical divisions as well as responsible NRR staff, in evaluating inspection results and safety performance information for the period from September 1995 through February 1996. PPRs provide regional management with a current summary of licensee performance and serve as inputs to the NRC Systematic Assessment of Licensee Performance (SALP) and senior management meeting (SMM) reviews.

This letter advises you of our planned inspection effort resulting from the LaSalle PPR review. The information is provided to enable appropriate consideration of the resource impact on your staff, and to permit scheduling conflicts and personnel availability issues to be resolved in advance of inspector arrival onsite. The enclosure details our inspection plan for approximately the next 6 months. The rationale or basis for each inspection outside the "Core" inspection program is provided so that you are aware of the reason for emphasis in these program areas. Resident inspections, as well as periodic inspections by other assigned members of our site focus group, may occur at any time in support of the Core inspection program.

We are interested in feedback on this program, including the need for any changes in the inspection plan, and we invite your questions or comments. If changes are necessary, you will be informed. If you have any questions or comments, please contact me at 708/829-9602.

Sincerely,

Original Signed by R. D. Lanksbury for

H. Brent Clayton, Chief Reactor Projects Branch 5

Docket Nos. 50-373, 50-374 License Nos. NPF-11, NPF-18

Enclosure: Inspection Plan

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LASALLE INSPECTION PLAN

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IP - Inspection Procedure
TI - Temporary Instruction
Core Inspection - Minimum NRC Inspection Program (mandatory all plants)

INSPECTION	TITLE/ PROGRAM AREA	NUMBER OF INSPECTORS	PLANNED INSPECTION DATES	TYPE OF INSPECTION - COMMENTS
Various	Materiel Condition	5	4/29-5/03/96 5/13-17/96	Regional Initiative based on materiel condition continuing to be a challenge for LaSalle.
IP 64704	Fire Protection Program	1	Normally unannounced	Core Inspection
IP 84750	Rad. Waste Treatment, and Effl. & Envir. Monitoring	2	5/20-22/96	Core Inspection
IP 71001	Licensed Operator Requalification Program Evaluation	2	4/29-5/3/96	Core Inspection
IP 81700 TI 2515/127	Physical Security Program Access Authorization	1	4/29-5/03/96 05/6-10/96	Core Inspection
IP 82301 IP 82302	Evaluation of Exercises Exercise Obj. & Scenario	3	6/10-14/96	Core Inspection
IP 83750 IP 84750	Occupational Rad. Exp. Radwaste Effl./Env. Mon.	2	7/29-8/2/96	Core Inspection
IP 73753	Inservice Inspection	1	Refuel Outage	Core Inspection
IP 83750	Occupational Radiation Exposure	2	10/14-18/96	Core Inspection
IP 62706	Maintenance Rule	5	12/9-13/96	Non-Core Routine Inspection