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Re: In the Matter of Commonwealth Edison Company
(Byron Nuclear Power Station, Units 1 and 2)
Docket Nos. 50-454 and 50-455 OL

Dear Administrative Judges:

Enclosed is Commonwealth Edison Company's supplemental response to Mr. Keppler relating to evaluation of the slenderness ratio and lateral unbraced length limitations applied to certain component support steel members on Byron Unit 1. The question concerning slenderness ratio was first raised by Intervenor's witness, Mr. Stokes, in testimony that was filed and eventually excluded from evidence in the remanded hearings before the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board. (Prepared testimony at 25-26, ff. Tr. 10,770.) Both questions were subsequently raised by Mr. Stokes, and were among the items for which the NRC Staff sought a response in Mr. Streeter's October 4, 1984 letter to Commonwealth Edison Company (Items C.7.d and D.2). Also enclosed are the portions of Commonwealth Edison's October 12 response to Mr. Streeter's October 4 letter that relate to these two items.

Very truly yours,

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