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MEMORANDUM FOR: Carl J. Paperiello, Chief
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Region III

FROM: Kenneth E. Perkins, Chief
Incident Response Branch
Division of Emergency Preparedness
and Engineering Response
Office of Inspection and Enforcement

SUBJECT: BIG ROCK POINT EXERCISE

We recently received an advance copy of an exercise scenario from the Consumers Power Company. To avoid such future submittals to NRC Headquarters, we have prepared the enclosed draft letter for your consideration in sending to the licensee.

Let us know if we can be of further assistance.

Ken Perkins

Kenneth E. Perkins, Chief
Incident Response Branch
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Mr. Ralph R. Frisch
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Dear Mr. Frisch:

We received your letter dated April 3, 1985, which transmitted the Big Rock Point Emergency Preparedness Exercise Scenario to both NRC Headquarters and Region III.

In order to avoid the potential for compromising the effectiveness of an exercise due to advance public disclosure, all copies of the exercise scenario are held in the region until after the exercise has been completed and then forwarded to the NRC Headquarters Document Management Branch for docketing. Therefore, for future exercises, we request that you do not submit an advance copy of the scenario to NRC Headquarters.

We appreciate your cooperation in this matter to ensure effective maintenance of your emergency response capabilities.

Sincerely,

John Hind, Director
Division of Radiation Safety and Safeguards
Region III

cc: K. E. Perkins, NRC HQ