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- References: 1) Fermi 2  
NRC Docket No. 50-341  
NRC License No. NPF-43
- 2) Detroit Edison Letter to NRC, "Noncompliance at  
Fermi 2, Inspection Report 50/341/84-32",  
EF2-69,714 dated September 21, 1984

Subject: Deletion of Monthly Trend Summary

In response to the NRC Inspection Report No. 50-341/84-32, Detroit Edison made a commitment in Reference 2 to implement a trending program in accordance with the Procedure NQAP 1602, "Trending of Corrective Action". This procedure requires that a monthly trend summary and a quarterly trend report be issued.

A recent review of the monthly summary of trend data changes has indicated that the summary has been ineffective due to a small number of changes and a smaller number of similarities occurring each month when classified by the root cause. The smaller the change, the more difficult it becomes to differentiate between trends and isolated/infrequent occurrences and hence, the monthly summary is more likely to result in false trends.

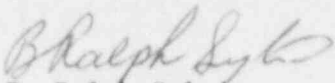
Therefore, Detroit Edison is deleting the monthly trend summary. We will continue to issue the quarterly trend report which has proven more effective than the monthly trend summary.

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