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OFFICE OF INSPECTION AND ENFORCEMENT
NOTIFICATION OF SIGNIFICANT ENFORCEMENT ACTION

Licensee: Indiana and Michigan Electric Company
(DC Cook Nuclear Power Plant)
Docket No. 50-316

Subject: PROPOSED IMPOSITION OF CIVIL PENALTY - \$50,000

This is to inform the Commission that a Notice of Violation and Proposed Imposition of Civil Penalty in the amount of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) will be issued on or about March 12, 1987 to Indiana and Michigan Electric Company. This action involves the licensee's operations staff rendering both Unit 2 independent emergency core cooling system (ECCS) subsystems not operable while Unit 2 was operating in Mode 1, in violation of the Technical Specification Limiting Condition for Operations. The north safety injection pump was not operable in that it had been isolated and de-energized, and the south safety injection pump was not operable in that two of its four injection flow paths had been isolated. This condition existed for approximately twenty hours and was identified several days later during a records review by the NRC Resident Inspection Staff.

It should be noted that the licensee has not been specifically informed of the enforcement action. The Regional Administrator has been authorized by the Director, Office of Inspection and Enforcement, to sign this action. The schedule of issuance and notification is:

Mailing of Notice	March 12, 1987
Telephone Notification of Licensee	March 12, 1987

A news release has been prepared and will be issued after the licensee receives the Notice. The State of Michigan will be notified.

The licensee has thirty days from the date of the Notice in which to respond. Following NRC evaluation of the response, the civil penalty may be remitted, mitigated, or imposed by Order.

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