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- References: 1) Fermi 2
NRC Docket No. 50-341
NRC License No. NPF-43
- 2) Detroit Edison Letter, dated
December 5, 1986, from Mr. McCarthy to
Mr. Keppler
- 3) Region III Letter, dated
December 12, 1986, from Mr. Keppler to
Mr. McCarthy

Subject: Concurrence to Exceed 20% Power

In Reference 2, Mr. McCarthy committed that Fermi 2 would operate below 20% power until he and the Independent Overview Committee were satisfied with operations in that power range. Reference 3 concurred in this position. The purpose of this letter is to inform you that Fermi 2 has successfully completed the requirements of Test Condition 1 and the commitments made in Reference 2.

The Fermi 2 On-Site Review Organization (OSRO) has completed its review of the results of Test Condition 1 testing and the requirements for entering into Test Condition 2. Based on that review, OSRO has provided its recommendation and approval to enter into Test Condition 2 (exceed 20% power). The Independent Overview Committee has concurred with this position and the Chairman of the Board has approved our request to enter Test Condition 2.

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Accordingly, Detroit Edison hereby requests NRC
concurrence to exceed 20% power and enter into Test
Condition 2.

Sincerely,

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