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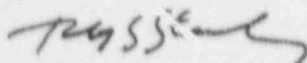
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The enclosed Licensee Event Report number 1-97-018, Docket No. 50-000295 from Zion Generating Station is being transmitted to you in accordance with 10CFR50.73 (a)(2)(ii), which requires a 30 day written report when any event or condition that resulted in the condition of the nuclear power plant, including its principal safety barriers, being seriously degraded, or that resulted in the nuclear power plant being: (A) In an unanalyzed condition that significantly compromised plant safety; (B) In a condition that was outside the design basis of the plant; or (C) In a condition not covered by the plant's operating and emergency procedures.

The event investigation is ongoing and not complete at the time of this correspondence. The enclosed LER provides the event investigation for the event. Corrective actions will be provided in the supplemental LER.

Attachment A provides the commitment for the submittal of the supplemental LER.

Very truly yours,



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Enclosure: Licensee Event Report

cc: NRC Region III Administrator
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ATTACHMENT A

List of Commitments Identified in this Violation Response

The following identifies those actions committed to by ComEd in this document. Any other actions discussed in this submittal represent intended or planned actions by ComEd. They are described to the NRC for the NRC's information and are not regulatory commitments. Please notify Mr. Robert Godley, Zion Station Regulatory Assurance Manager, of any questions regarding this document or any associated regulatory commitments.

Submit supplemental LER by October 3, 1997.