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Docket No. 50-456 Docket No. 50-457

Commonwealth Edison Company ATTN: Mr. Cordell Reed Senior Vice President Post Office Box 767 Chicago, IL 60690

## Gentlemen:

This refers to the special safety inspection conducted by Messrs. G. A. VanSickle, T. M. Tongue, and T. E. Taylor, of this office from June 1 through June 20, 1989, of activities at the Braidwood Station, Units 1 and 2, authorized by NRC Operating Licenses No. NPF-72 and No. NPF-77, and to the discussion of our findings with Mr. D. E. O'Brien and others of your staff at the circlusion of the inspection.

The enclosed copy of our inspection report identifies areas examined during the inspection. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of a selective examination of procedures and representative records, observations, and interviews with personnel.

During this inspection, certain of your activities appeared to be in violation of NRC requirements. You will be notified by separate correspondence of our decision regarding enforcement action based on the findings of this inspection. No written response is required until you are notified of the proposed enforcement action.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the Commission's regulations, a copy of this letter and the enclosed inspection report will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

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We will gladly discuss any questions you have concerning this inspection.

Sincerely,

Original signed by E. G. Greenman

Edward G. Greenman, Director Division of Reactor Projects

Enclosure: Inspection Report No. 50-456/89017(DRP); No. 50-457/89017(DRP)

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