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Docket No. 50-346

Toledo Edison Company
ATTN: Mr. Donald Shelton
Vice President
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Gentlemen:

This refers to the routine safety inspection conducted by Messrs. R. Hasse and T. Vandell and Ms. A. M. Bongiovanni of this office on January 9 through February 9, 1989, of plant modifications and engineering assurance at Davis-Besse Nuclear Power Station authorized by NRC Operating License No. NPF-3 and to the discussion of our findings with Mr. P. Hildebrandt and others of your staff at the conclusion of the onsite inspection on January 13, 1989, and further discussions with members of your staff on January 27 and February 9, 1989.

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.

No violations of NRC requirements were identified during the course of this inspection; however, we request that you carefully review our concerns with the adequacy of your evaluations conducted pursuant to 10 CFR Part 50, Section 50.59 described in Paragraph 2.a of the attached inspection report. While the safety evaluations performed for the modifications reviewed were thorough and well documented, the evaluation with respect to all of the 10 CFR 50.59 criteria may not always be as rigorous as it should.

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 HUBERT J. MILLER

H. J. Miller, Director
Division of Reactor Safety

Enclosure: Inspection Report
No. 50-346/89002(DRS)

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