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United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission Attention: Document Control Desk Washington, D.C. 20555

> LaSalle County Station, Units 1 and 2 Facility Operating License Nos. NPF-11 and NPF-18 NRC Docket Nos. 50-373 and 50-374

Subject:

Notification of Approved Change to ComEd – LaSalle County Station NPDES Permit No. IL0048151

References: (1)

- Letter dated June 9, 2000 to Ms. Beth Unser, IEPA, Water Pollution Control from James R. Bolte, Nuclear Generation Group Environmental.
- Letter dated July 30, 1999 to Mr. Kenneth Rogers, (2)Manager, Compliance Assurance Section, IEPA Division of Water Pollution Control from Mary F. O'Toole, Manager, Environmental Services Department.
- Letter dated April 19, 1999 from Thomas G. McSwiggin, (3)Manager, Permit Section, Water Pollution Control to Daniel R. Paulsen, Environmental Services Department.
- Letter dated January 26, 1999 to Ms. Beth Unser, IEPA, (4) Water Pollution Control from Daniel R. Paulsen, **Environmental Services Department.**
- Letter dated August 28, 1998 to Thomas G. McSwiggin, (5) Manager, Permit Section, Water Pollution Control from Daniel R. Paulsen, Environmental Services Department.

This report is submitted in accordance with the 30 day notification requirements of Technical Specification, Appendix B, Environmental Protection Plan, Section 3.2.



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A recently completed internal audit of the Environmental Protection Plan identified that 30 day notifications to NRC had not been made for the following proposed or approved changes to LaSalle's NPDES Permit. We requested, in Reference (1), a revision of LaSalle's NPDES permit, Special Condition 13, to extend the chlorination period for the treatment of circulating water. We requested in Reference (2), that a provisional variance be granted effective July 30, 1999, for a period of 45 days. This request was retracted prior to its approval. In Reference (3), the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency transmitted final approval for 5 year renewal (and modification) of NPDES Permit IL0048151, effective May 1, 1999. We requested, in Reference (4), changes to oil and grease sampling frequency and an alternate route for discharge of clean condensate flushing and maintenance. In Reference (5), the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency transmitted final approval for 5 year renewal (and modification) of NPDES Permit IL0048151. This condition has been entered into the corrective action program.

The current LaSalle National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit was approved by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency on September 12, 2000, and a copy is attached. The permit incorporates the subject changes in References 1 through 5.

Should you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Mr. William Riffer, Regulatory Assurance Manager, at (815) 357-6761, extension 2383.

Respectfully,

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Attachment

cc: Regional Administrator - NRC Region III

NRC Senior Resident Inspector - LaSalle County Station