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17.1 QUALITY ASSURANCE DURING DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION

The Quality Assurance Program that was in effect during the design, construction, testing and startup of Quad Cities Station can be found in Appendix E of the Dresden Station FSAR. This program description is supplemented by Quad Cities' responses to NRC questions: Amendment 13 Questions 1.1 and 7.4 and Amendment 16 Question 1.1. [17.1-1]

17.2 QUALITY ASSURANCE DURING THE OPERATIONS PHASE

The Quality Assurance (QA) Program for the operations phase of Quad Cities Station is conducted in accordance with Exelon Nuclear Quality Assurance Topical Report NO-AA-10. This topical report was initially submitted to the NRC by Commonwealth Edison Company (CECo) in June 1975 for review. The NRC found the CECo QA Program described in the topical report acceptable for the design, procurement, construction, and operation activities within CECo's scope-of-work for the nuclear stations, and provided instructions to reference the topical report in Section 17 of license applications. [17.2-1]

Topical Report NO-AA-10 is periodically updated to address the changes in the Exelon Nuclear organization and current standards, including those necessary to satisfy regulatory requirements. Therefore, NO-AA-10 and all subsequent revisions are the basis for the QA program at Quad Cities Station. Since NO-AA-10 is a generic document applicable to all Exelon Nuclear stations regardless of vintage, Chapter 2 and Appendix C of NO-AA-10 identifies specific QA-related Regulatory Guides and ANSI standards as well as revisions that apply. When conflicts exist, the Quad Cities UFSAR and Technical Specifications take precedence over NO-AA-10.