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Donald C. Cook Nuclear Plant Units 1 and 2
Dockets No. 50-315 and 50-316
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Mr. J. G. Keppler, Regional Director
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Office of Inspection and Enforcement
Region III
799 Roosevelt Road
Glen Ellyn, IL. 60137

Dear Mr. Keppler:

We have been informed by our nondestructive examination (NDE) contractor that they will not be able to complete the NDE required by Item 2 of IE Bulletin 79-17 according to the schedule indicated in Item 6 of the same Bulletin. The inability to meet the Bulletin's schedule is due primarily to the shortage of trained personnel required to perform the NDE and prepare the report. We therefore request an extension of 90 days beyond the deadlines of Item 6 for both the completion of the inspections and the submittal of the report. This request supercedes the request for an extension made in our submittal AEP:NRC:00255A to Mr. Harold R. Denton dated September 27, 1979.

Very truly yours,

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