

# INDIANA & MICHIGAN ELECTRIC COMPANY

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January 28, 1981  
AEP:NRC:00511

Donald C. Cook Nuclear Plant Unit Nos. 1 and 2  
Docket Nos. 50-315 and 50-316  
License Nos. DPR-58 and DPR-74  
IE Inspection Report Nos. 50-315/80-19 and 50-316/80-15

Mr. James G. Keppler, Regional Director  
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Office of Inspection and Enforcement  
Region III  
Glen Ellyn, Illinois 60137

Dear Mr. Keppler:

The attachment to this letter provides our response to the Notice of Violation contained in Appendix A of IE Inspection Report Nos. 50-315/80-19 and 50-316/80-15 which we received on January 6, 1981. On January 15, 1981 Mr. Heishman of your Staff granted our request for an extension to respond to the Notice of Violation within 25 days from the date on which we received the inspection report.

Very truly yours,

*John E. Dolan*  
John E. Dolan  
Vice President

cc: R. C. Callen  
G. Charnoff  
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Region III Resident Inspector at Cook Plant - Bridgman

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STATE OF NEW YORK  
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John E. Dolan, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the Vice President of Licensee Indiana & Michigan Electric Company, that he has read the foregoing response to the notice of violation contained in IE Inspection Report Nos. 50-315/80-19 and 50-316/80-15 and knows the contents thereof; and that said contents are true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

John E. Dolan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of January 1981

Gregory M. Gurican

GREGORY M. GURICAN  
Notary Public, State of New York  
No. 31-4813431  
Qualified in New York County  
Commission Expires March 30, 1981



ATTACHMENT TO

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In accordance with the requirements of the notice subject of this response we provide the following information:

- a) The reason for the items of noncompliance is that during the period of time that this inspection was conducted we were implementing design changes in the Cook Plant which required pulling cables through penetration fire seals in the cable vault. It was during the implementation of these changes that the two of them were made non-functional thereby exceeding the limiting condition of operation of Technical Specification 3/4.7.10.
- b) The corrective steps taken were to immediately repair the penetration fire seals by either the plant approved temporary repair mechanism or repaired permanently utilizing the plant approved repair procedure. They were subsequently inspected and accepted on December 4, 1980, by the Plant QC Department..
- c) To preclude further items of non-compliance, a memo from the Cook Plant Construction Department was transmitted on December 8, 1980 to all contractors reiterating the Donald C. Cook Nuclear Plant's requirements on penetration fire seals. In addition Plant Manager Instruction PMI-2270, entitled "Fire Protection and Safety Equipment", was revised by a temporary change sheet which amplifies the requirements and the responsibilities for those people who have the potential for breaching or coming across a fire seal within the plant that has been breached. Full compliance was achieved by the issuance of these documents.

