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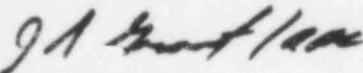
Mr. James G. Keppler
Regional Director, Region III
Office of Inspection and Enforcement
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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Glen Ellyn, Illinois 60137

Dear Mr. Keppler:

IE Bulletin 79-11 directed certain actions for plants utilizing Westinghouse type DB-50 and DB-75 circuit breakers in safety related systems.

Enclosed is our response to IE Bulletin 79-11 for the Davis-Besse Nuclear Power Station, Unit No. 1.

Very truly yours,



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Items 1, 2 and 3 of Action Required:

Response: Not applicable since Westinghouse type DB-50 and DB-75 circuit breakers are neither used in safety related Class IE service nor are in spares at our facility.

Item 4: Review test procedures and test schedules for all safety related circuit breakers to assure that all such breakers are tested at least each refueling outage to confirm over-current time delay protection.

Response: All safety related circuit breakers used at our facility do not incorporate the dash pot system. A Solid State tripping unit is used for circuit breaker mounted overcurrent tripping. Remote relays functioning off of current transformers are used for overcurrent tripping functions which are not circuit breaker mounted. The Station maintenance procedures require the testing of these circuit breakers at every refueling outage. The circuit breaker mounted trip devices are tested at every refueling outage. The remote relays for 480V circuit breakers are presently tested on a 48 month cycle. This will be changed to each refueling cycle and implemented immediately. Higher voltage Class IE circuit breakers remote relays are tested on a 12 month cycle.