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Mr. James G. Keppler, Director
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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
799 Roosevelt Road
Glen Ellyn, Illinois 60137

Subject: Interim Report of 10CFR50.55(e) Item on Cable Pulling Problems (#38)

Dear Mr. Keppler:

The additional interim report on the cable pulling problems has been prepared to provide you with the current status of this problem.

This item was originally reported to Mr. R. Knop of NRC-Region III by Detroit Edison's Mr. T.A. Alessi, Director-Project Quality Assurance on January 8, 1981. At that time, it had been determined that there was a problem with cable damage due to cable pulling operations.

The potentially damaged cables as reported, were in contact with sharp edges and ty-wraps which indented cable jackets. This problem is being investigated by Construction, Project Quality Assurance and the Edison Research Department to ascertain whether there actually has been damage done to the affected cables. The investigation has not been completed at this time.

Another report on this item, either interim or final, is scheduled to be sent to you on or before December 24, 1981. If you have questions concerning this matter, please contact Mr. H.A. Walker, Supervisor-Construction Quality Assurance.

Very truly yours,

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