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Re: In the Matter of Commonwealth Edison Company
(Byron Nuclear Power Station, Units 1 and 2)
Docket Nos. 50-454 and 50-455

Gentlemen:

In accordance with the disclosure requirements of Duke Power Company (William B. McGuire Nuclear Station, Units 1 and 2), ALAB-143, 6AEC 623, 625 (1973), on June 8, 1983, counsel for Intervenor League of Women Voters of Rockford was alerted through newspaper accounts to the existence of an NRC-commissioned study of current problems of sabotage at nuclear power plants. The newspaper accounts were confirmed through conversations with the office of Congressman Markey, chairman of the subcommittee involved.

Further investigation revealed that the study will not be released to the public until Tuesday, June 14, 1983; that it was conducted by the NRC Review Committee to Review Safeguard Requirements at Power Reactors; that it was reviewed by Representative Markey, Chairman of the House Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigation of the Full Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs; and that Representative Markey wrote a letter to commission Chairman Nunzio Palladino, recommending that the commission place the sabotage question on its list of "unresolved safety issues." Counsel for the Intervenor has been promised and expects to receive a copy of this document June 10, 1983.

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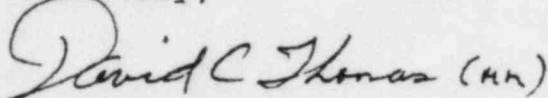
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Because of its immediacy and relevance to the issues pertaining to sabotage litigated during the hearings on the ALARA contentions 42,111 and 1112, Intervenor LWVR wishes to put the parties on notice that, pending review of this study, Intervenor may move to reopen the evidentiary record in order to consider the ramification of this study.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "David C Thomas (MM)". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name.

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