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Mr. James G. Keppler, Regional Administrator
- Region III
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
799 Roosevelt Road
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Subject: Braidwood Station Units 1 and 2
10 CFR 50.55(e) Interim Report
Documentation of QC Verification
NRC Docket Nos. 50-456/457

Reference (a): E. D. Swartz letter to J. G. Keppler
dated July 29, 1983

Dear Mr. Keppler:

On July 1, 1983, the Commonwealth Edison Company Project Construction Department notified Mr. Julian M. Hinds of your office of a potential deficiency reportable pursuant to 10 CFR 50.55(e) regarding the lack of adequate documentation that Q.C. verifications were performed at our Braidwood Station. For your tracking purposes, this deficiency was assigned Number 83-07. Reference (a) provided our thirty (30) day report concerning this deficiency and indicated that the status of this deficiency was indeterminate. The purpose of this letter is to provide a status update.

The Phillips, Getschow Co. has completed the inspection of the random sample selected by Sargent & Lundy as described in Reference (a). In the 2 inch and under sample, it was discovered that in one instance, different schedule spool pieces were reversed during field installation. An additional 2 inch and under sample will be taken for heat numbers and also reviewed for design specification breaks. The results will be documented in a subsequent report.

As stated in Reference (a), the Phillips Getschow reinspection program is scheduled to be completed by December 1, 1983. Based upon this schedule, we expect to be in a position to provide a complete report by December 30, 1983.

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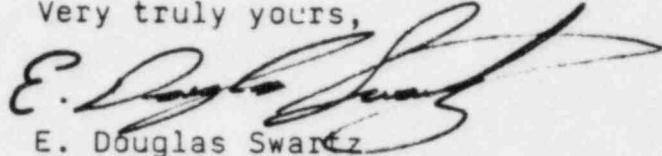
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Please address any questions that you or your staff may have concerning this matter to this office.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'E. Douglas Swartz', with a large, sweeping flourish extending to the right.

E. Douglas Swartz
Nuclear Licensing Administrator

cc: RIII Inspector - Braidwood

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