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Telecopy: Region III, Attention: Mr. C. Feierabend

October 20, 1975

J. Keppler, Regional Director
Office of Inspection and Enforcement
Region III
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
799 Roosevelt Road
Glen Ellyn, Illinois 60137



Reference: Quad-Cities Nuclear Power Station, Unit 2
Docket No. 50-265, DPR-30
Appendix A, Sections 1.0.A.2, 3.7.B.1, 6.6.B.2.a

Dear Mr. Keppler:

The purpose of this letter is to provide you with notification of an Abnormal Occurrence as required by Technical Specification 6.6.B.1.a within 24 hours of the occurrence.

On October 18, 1975, with Unit Two in the cold shutdown condition, smoke from a small fire created by onsite contracted welders, fouled the Standby Gas Treatment "B" train particulate filters sufficiently to produce a differential pressure across the filters slightly in excess of the Technical Specification limit of 5.7 inches of water. The "A" train was immediately tested and found operational, and a work request was issued to change the "B" train filters.

During a conversation with the NRC Regional Office on October 20, 1975, it was decided to classify this event as an Abnormal Occurrence.

This occurrence was discussed by telephone with Mr. Feierabend of your office on October 20, 1975. Further information will be provided by Abnormal Occurrence Report AO 50-265/75-42 which will be submitted within 10 days of the date of this occurrence.

Very truly yours,

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