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Docket No. 50-456
Docket No. 50-457

Commonwealth Edison Company
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Gentlemen:

This refers to the routine safety inspection conducted by Messrs. R. D. Schulz, L. G. McGregor, W. J. Kropp, and R. N. Gardner of this office on May 9 through June 21, 1985, of activities at Braidwood Nuclear Power Station, Units 1 and 2, authorized by NRC Construction Permits No. CPPR-132 and No. CPPR-133 and to the discussion of our findings with Mr. M. Wallace at the conclusion of the inspection.

The enclosed copy of our inspection report identifies areas examined during the inspection. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of a selective examination of procedures and representative records, observations, and interviews with personnel.

During this inspection, one of your activities appeared to be in noncompliance with NRC requirements, as specified in the enclosed Appendix. A written response is required.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the Commission's regulations, a copy of this letter and the enclosure(s) will be placed in the NRC's Public Document Room.

The responses directed by this letter (and the accompanying Notice) are not subject to the clearance procedures of the Office of Management and Budget as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980, PL 96-511.

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We will gladly discuss any questions you have concerning this inspection.

Sincerely,



W. S. Little, Director
Braidwood Project

Enclosures:

1. Appendix, Notice of Violation
2. Inspection Reports
No. 50-456/85023(DRP);
No. 50-457/85024(DRP)

cc w/enclosures:

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