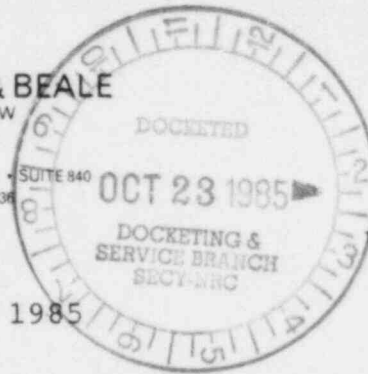


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Re: In the Matter of Commonwealth Edison Company
(Braidwood Station, Units 1 and 2, Docket
Nos. 50-456 and 50-457) *OC*

Dear Administrative Judges:

As stated in "Commonwealth Edison Company's Motion to Exclude Portions of Testimony of NRC Staff Witness", served October 17, 1985, Commonwealth Edison believes that Rorem Contention 1(a) does not include issues regarding the advance arrangements which are made with the news media for dissemination of information during an emergency. Commonwealth Edison does not waive that view, nor does it withdraw the Motion to Exclude. However, in view of the short time remaining before the hearings on Rorem Contention 1(a), Commonwealth Edison submits the enclosed "Supplemental Testimony of Lawrence D. Butterfield on Rorem Contention 1(a)" which addresses issues arising under the requirements for news media arrangements. If the Licensing Board deems this subject to be within the purview of Rorem Contention 1(a), Commonwealth Edison intends to submit this testimony into evidence and fully litigate the issue at the hearings scheduled for October 29, 1985. Thus, this Supplemental Testimony is being provided so that the Licensing Board and the parties may be familiar with Mr. Butterfield's

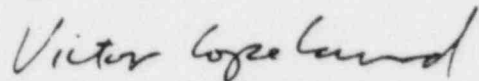
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Supplemental Testimony in the event that its submission becomes necessary to fulfill Commonwealth Edison's burden of proof.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Victor G. Copeland".

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