

October 22, 1985

Docket No. 50-155
LS05-85-10-029

Mr. Kenneth W. Berry
Director, Nuclear Licensing
Consumers Power Company
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Dear Mr. Berry:

SUBJECT: SURVEILLANCE FREQUENCIES

Re: Big Rock Point Plant

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The amendment changes several Technical Specification surveillance frequencies. These surveillances are currently required to be performed at various intervals regardless of scheduled refueling shutdowns. The changes will provide for operation of the facility between refueling shutdowns without the potential surveillance test performances interrupting continued power operation.

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A copy of our related Safety Evaluation is also enclosed. This action will appear in the Commission's biweekly notice publication in the Federal Register.

Sincerely,

Original signed by

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