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BEFORE THE ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD

In the Matter of)
COMMONWEALTH EDISON COMPANY)
(Braidwood Station Units 1 and 2))

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Docket Nos. 50-456
50-457

JOINT MOTION TO
REVISE HEARING SCHEDULE

Commonwealth Edison Company ("Applicant") moves, on behalf of itself, the NRC Staff and Intervenors Rorem, et al., the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board ("Board") to enter an order modifying the hearing schedule in this proceeding in the manner set forth below. In support of the Joint Motion, Applicant states:

1. The present hearing schedule, which is attached to the Board's Prehearing Conference Order dated August 1, 1985, provides that with specific exceptions, discovery is to end on September 27, 1985. This deadline is based in part on Applicant's response to Intervenors' first set of interrogatories being filed and delivered by August 9. Although Applicant has provided substantial information in its various partial responses to Intervenors' interrogatories, the process has not been completed. This activity should be completed by September 6, 1985. Applicant's filing, the seventh partial response,

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should include (i) the remaining answers to any interrogatories that were not subject to objection and (ii) additional answers to interrogatories that were subject to objection initially but are being answered now in modified form as a result of negotiations among the parties.

2. Given the circumstances described in Paragraph 1., the parties have agreed that an extension of the discovery deadline from September 27 to October 28, 1985 is appropriate. This action necessarily impacts the deadlines for handling motions for summary disposition and the deadlines for testimony filing, prehearing motions and the hearing date. These revised dates are shown in Paragraph 4. The deadlines for the filing of pleadings and notices are intended to be "receipt" dates, i.e., in the hands of the Board and parties on the date indicated.

3. It is not intended by the revised schedule set forth below that any deadlines affecting Ms. Rorem's emergency planning contention be changed. In addition, it is not intended to change any deadlines not impacted by the change to the September 27 discovery deadline, e.g., the deadlines for the 82-05 issue.

Date Approved
by Board's
August 1 Order

Revised Date

Activity

September 27

October 28

Deadline for identifying QA witnesses, except for the safety-related equipment issue (hereinafter "82-05 issue"). QA discovery ends except for deposition of witnesses and discovery generally on 82-05 issue.

Date Approved
by Board's
August 1 Order

Revised Date

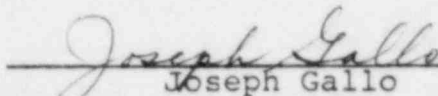
Activity

October 11	October 28	Motions for summary disposition on QA contention (no summary disposition on 82-05 issue).
October 15	No Change	Report on 82-05 Corrective Action Program received by Parties.
October 15	November 18	Depositions of all witnesses completed except for 82-05 issue.
November 8	November 25	Answers to motions for summary disposition.
December 2	December 17	Target date for Board ruling on motions for summary disposition of QA issues.
December 23	No Change	Written direct testimony filed on emergency planning issues remaining after summary disposition with respect to Rorem Contention 1(b).
December 23	January 15	Written direct testimony filed on QA issues remaining after summary disposition.
January 6, 1986	No Change	Motions to strike prefiled testimony on 1(b).
January 6, 1986	January 22	Motions to strike prefiled QA testimony.
January 13,	No Change	Answers to Motions to strike on 1(b) and cross examination plans.
January 13,	January 29	Answers to motions to strike on QA testimony and cross-examination plans.
January 20,	No Change	Hearing commences on Rorem Contention 1(b), evacuation of special facilities.
January 20,	February 4	Hearing commences on QA Contention.

4. The parties have attempted to negotiate a revised schedule that fairly accommodates the needs of all concerned. We trust the Board will agree.

For good cause shown, the Joint Motion should be granted.

Respectfully submitted,



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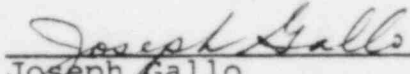
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