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Docket No. 50-454

Commonwealth Edison Company  
ATTN: Mr. Cordell Reed  
Vice President  
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Gentlemen:

This refers to the special inspection conducted by Mr. J. L. Belanger and Ms. G. M. Christoffer of this office on December 2-5, 1985, of activities at Byron Nuclear Power Station, Unit 1 authorized by NRC Operating License No. NPF-37 and to the discussion of our findings with Mr. R. Querio and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

The special inspection was conducted regarding Safeguards Event Report No. 85-015 reported by Mr. W. Kouba on November 30, 1985. The enclosed copy of our inspection report identifies the items examined during the inspection, and consisted of an examination of security force post orders and records, observations, and interviews with personnel.

During this inspection, certain of your activities appeared to be in noncompliance with NRC requirements. You will be notified by separate correspondence of our decision regarding enforcement actions based on the findings of this inspection. No written response is required until you are notified of the proposed enforcement action.

Areas examined during this inspection concern a subject matter which is exempt from disclosure according to Part 73, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 73.21(c)(2). This information must be handled and protected in accordance with the provisions of 10 CFR 73.21. Consequently, our report of this inspection will not be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

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

Sincerely,

*John A. Hind*  
John A. Hind, Director  
Division of Radiation Safety  
and Safeguards

Enclosure: Inspection Report  
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