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Docket No. 50-461

Illinois Power Company
ATTN: Mr. W. C. Gerstner
Executive Vice President
500 South 27th Street
Decatur, IL 62525

Gentlemen:

This refers to the routine safety inspection conducted by Mr. W. Snell and others of this office on March 10-14, 1986, of activities at the Clinton Nuclear Power Station authorized by NRC Construction Permit No. CPPR-137, and to the discussion of our findings with you and others of your staff 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.

No violations of NRC requirements were identified during the course of this inspection. However, the enclosed report contains fourteen Open Items, of which six must be closed prior to fuel load.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the Commission's regulations, a copy of this letter, the enclosures, and your response to this letter will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

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

Sincerely,

Original signed by W.D. Shafer

W. D. Shafer, Chief
Emergency Preparedness and
Radiological Protection Branch

Enclosure: Inspection Report
No. 50-461/86021(DRSS)

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