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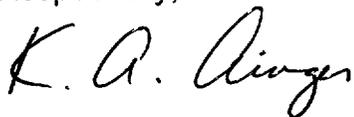
References: (1) Volume 66, Federal Register, Page 34293 (66 FR 34293), dated June 27, 2001

(2) Nuclear Energy Institute letter, "Public Comment on Preliminary Impact Assessment of Nuclear Industry Consolidation on NRC Oversight," dated August 23, 2001

Exelon Generation Company (EGC), LLC appreciates the opportunity to comment on the NRC's "Preliminary Impact Assessment of Nuclear Industry Consolidation on NRC Oversight." This letter provides our comments in response to Reference 1. EGC has been actively involved with the Nuclear Energy Institute (NEI) on this issue and fully endorses the industry comments submitted by the NEI in Reference 2.

If you have any questions or require additional information please contact me at (630) 657-2800.

Respectfully,



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