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Donald C. Cook Nuclear Plant Units 1 and 2
ADVANCE NOTICE OF INTENT TO PURSUE LICENSE RENEWAL

Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) Regulatory Issue Summary 2000-20, "Importance of Industry Providing NRC Advance Notice of Intent to Pursue License Renewal," dated November 14, 2000, requested licensees to provide a voluntary submission of plans regarding license renewal. This voluntary submission is intended to assist the NRC in its budgeting and planning processes.

The purpose of this letter is to formally notify the NRC of Indiana Michigan Power Company's (I&M), the licensee for Donald C. Cook Nuclear Plant (CNP) Units 1 and 2 (Facility Operating Licenses DPR-58 and DPR-74), intent to pursue license renewal for CNP Units 1 and 2 pursuant to the requirements of 10 CFR 54, "Requirements for Renewal of Operating Licenses for Nuclear Power Plants." The current license expiration dates are as follows:

Unit 1 - midnight October 25, 2014
Unit 2 - midnight December 23, 2017

I&M intends to submit the license renewal application in the fourth quarter of 2003. I&M will keep the NRC informed of decisions regarding license renewal and schedule to facilitate resource planning.

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This letter contains no new commitments. Should you have any questions, please contact Mr. James A. Kobyra, License Renewal Project Director, at (616) 697-5619.

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