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SUBJECT: REGULATORY CONFERENCE - D. C. COOK PRELIMINARY YELLOW
FINDING

Dear Mr. Bakken:

This letter confirms the discussion between members of our staffs to have a meeting at 9:00 a.m. (CDT) on Thursday, July 25, 2002, at the Nuclear Regulatory Commission Region III office at 801 Warrenville Road, Suite 255, Lisle, Illinois.

The meeting will be a Regulatory Conference to discuss a preliminary Yellow finding involving the essential service water debris intrusion event that occurred at the D. C. Cook Nuclear Power Plant on August 29, 2001. A Yellow finding is described as having substantial safety significance. The ADAMS accession number of the associated inspection report is ML021610713. ADAMS is accessible from the NRC Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html> (the Public Electronic Reading Room).

The public is invited to observe this meeting and will have one or more opportunities to communicate with the NRC after the business portion, but before the meeting is adjourned.

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If you have any questions regarding this meeting, please contact me at 630-829-9872.

Sincerely,

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