February 28, 2003

MEMORANDUM TO: Marsha Gamberoni, Deputy Director

New Reactor Licensing Project Office Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

FROM: Nanette V. Gilles, Senior Project Manager /RA/

New Reactor Licensing Project Office Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

SUBJECT: FORTHCOMING MEETING TO DISCUSS THE REVIEW PROCESS

FOR EXELON'S EARLY SITE PERMIT (ESP) APPLICATION FOR THE

CLINTON SITE (TAC NO. MB5354)

DATE & TIME: Thursday, March 20, 2003

Informal Orientation Session: 6:00 p.m.- 7:00 p.m.

Formal Meeting: 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

LOCATION: Vespasian Warner Public Library

Revere Ware Room (downstairs)

310 N. Quincy Street Clinton, Illinois 61727

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PARTICIPANTS: Participants from the NRC include members from the Office of Nuclear

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informally "one-on-one" with the NRC staff.

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AGENDA FOR PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS EARLY SITE PERMIT (ESP) REVIEW FOR CLINTON SITE ESP APPLICATION

THURSDAY, MARCH 20, 2003 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m 7:10 p.m.	Welcome and Purpose of Meeting - F. Cameron
7:10 p.m 7:15 p.m.	Overview of the NRC - J. Lyons
7:15 p.m 7:20 p.m.	Overview of the Licensing Process (10 CFR Part 52) - J. Lyons
7:20 p.m 7:30 p.m.	Overview of Early Site Permit Review Process - N. Gilles/T. Kenyon
7:30 p.m 8:15 p.m.	Questions and Answer - F. Cameron
8:15 p.m 8:20 p.m.	Overview of Opportunities for Public Involvement - N. Gilles
8:20 p.m 8:50 p.m.	Questions and Answer - F. Cameron
8:50 p.m 9:00 p.m.	Closing - F. Cameron

^{*}The NRC staff will host informal discussions one hour prior to the meeting session. No comments on the proposed Exelon early site permit application will be accepted during the informal discussions or the formal sessions. To be considered, comments must be provided either at the transcribed public meetings after the filing of the ESP application or in writing, as described during the subject information meeting (see agenda above).

U. S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Notice of Public Meeting

Pre-application Early Site Permit Meeting for the Clinton Site

AGENCY: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission

ACTION: Notice of public meeting in Clinton, Illinois

SUMMARY: The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) will hold a facilitated meeting on March 20, 2003, to provide information to the public on the NRC Early Site Permit review process, as well as the opportunities for public involvement in that process for the Clinton site. Exelon Generation Company is expected to file an early site permit application in June 2003 for a new reactor or reactors at the Clinton site.

DATE/TIME: The meeting will be held on Thursday, March 20, 2002, from 7:00 p.m. through 9:00 p.m. The meeting will be preceded by an informal "orientation session" from 6:00 p.m. through 7:00 p.m. to allow for individual discussions with NRC staff members.

LOCATION: Vespasian Warner Public Library, 310 N. Quincy Street, Clinton, Illinois.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Francis X. Cameron, Special Council for Public Liaison, Office of General Council, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington D.C. 20555-0001, or by telephone: (301) 415-1642 or e-mail: *fxc@nrc.gov.* Mr. Cameron will facilitate the meeting.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Additional information can be obtained from the website (http://nrcweb.nrc.gov:300/reactors/new-licensing/license-reviews/esp.html), or by contacting Ms. Nanette Gilles at (301) 415-1180, or via e-mail at nvg@nrc.gov.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland this 26th day of February 2003.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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