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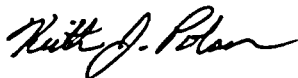
Braidwood Station, Units 1 and 2
Facility Operating License Nos. NPF-72 and NPF-77
NRC Docket Nos. STN 50-456 and STN 50-457

Subject: Monthly Operating Report

In accordance with Technical Specification 5.6.4, "Monthly Operating Reports," we are submitting the Monthly Operating Report for Braidwood Station, Units 1 and 2. This report covers the period of March 1, 2004 through March 31, 2004.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Ms. Kelly Root, Regulatory Assurance Manager, at (815) 417-2800.

Respectfully,



Keith J. Polson
Plant Manager
Braidwood Station

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cc: Regional Administrator – NRC Region III
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ATTACHMENT

BRAIDWOOD STATION UNITS 1 AND 2

MONTHLY OPERATING REPORT

EXELON GENERATION COMPANY, LLC

FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE NOS. NPF-72 AND NPF-77

NRC DOCKET NOS. STN 50-456 AND STN 50-457

Docket No: 50-456
 Unit: Braidwood 1
 Date: 04/02/2004
 Completed by: Don Hildebrant
 Telephone: (815)417-2173

Braidwood Unit 1 Reporting Period: March 2004

A. OPERATING DATA REPORT

Design Electrical Rating (MWe Net)	1187
Maximum Dependable Capacity (MWe Net)	1161

	Month	Year To Date	Cumulative
Hours Reactor Critical (Hours)	744.0	2,184.0	117,051.6
Hours Generator on Line (Hours)	744.0	2,184.0	116,078.8
Unit Reserve Shutdown (Hours)	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net Electrical Energy (MWh)	899,487	2,605,562	125,797,749

B. UNIT SHUTDOWNS

TYPE	REASON	METHOD
F - Forced	A - Equipment Failure (explain)	1 - Manual
S - Scheduled	B - Maintenance or Test	2 - Manual Trip / Scram
	C - Refueling	3 - Automatic Trip / Scram
	D - Regulatory Restriction	4 - Continuation
	E - Operator Training / Licensee Examination	5 - Other (explain)
	F - Administrative	
	G - Operator Error (explain)	
	H - Other (explain)	

No	Date	Type	Duration Hours	Reason	Method	Cause and Corrective Actions and Comments
	None					

SUMMARY

The Unit operated normally at full power for the entire month.

C. SAFETY / RELIEF VALVE OPERATIONS

Date	Valves Actuated	No. & Type Actuation	Plant Condition	Description of Event
None				

Data From: Production Data Bank and Operator Logs

Docket No: 50-457
 Unit: Braidwood 2
 Date: 04/02/2004
 Completed by: Don Hildebrant
 Telephone: (815)417-2173

Braidwood Unit 2 Reporting Period: March 2004

A. OPERATING DATA REPORT

Design Electrical Rating (MWe Net)	1155
Maximum Dependable Capacity (MWe Net)	1129

	Month	Year To Date	Cumulative
Hours Reactor Critical (Hours)	744.0	2,184.0	120,617.3
Hours Generator on Line (Hours)	744.0	2,184.0	119,968.9
Unit Reserve Shutdown (Hours)	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net Electrical Energy (MWh)	875,496	2,564,659	129,703,459

B. UNIT SHUTDOWNS

TYPE	REASON	METHOD
F - Forced	A - Equipment Failure (explain)	1 - Manual
S - Scheduled	B - Maintenance or Test	2 - Manual Trip / Scram
	C - Refueling	3 - Automatic Trip / Scram
	D - Regulatory Restriction	4 - Continuation
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SUMMARY

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