April 23, 2004

Mr. Christopher M. Crane President and Chief Nuclear Officer Exelon Nuclear Exelon Generation Company, LLC 4300 Winfield Road Warrenville, IL 60555

SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF THE CLINTON POWER STATION PERFORMANCE

ASSESSMENT MEETING ON APRIL 8, 2004

Dear Mr. Crane:

On April 8, 2004, a public meeting was held at the Vespasian Warner Public Library, between the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) and Exelon staff. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss NRC's assessment of Clinton's performance for the period of January 1, 2003, through December 31, 2003.

Overall, as discussed in the Clinton Annual Assessment letter dated March 4, 2004 (ADAMS accession number ML040641165), Clinton operated in a manner that preserved public health and safety. Plant performance for the most recent quarter was within the Licensee Response Column of the NRC's Action Matrix, based on all findings being classified as very low safety significant and all performance indicators classified within the green performance band.

During the meeting, Mr. Bement of your staff presented an overview of the 2003 performance accomplishments and the focus areas for 2004. We encourage the station to pursue these focus areas, particularly, reducing exposure, increasing equipment reliability, and emphasizing human performance fundamentals within the work groups.

The meeting attendance list is enclosed. There were no questions from the public at the meeting. The slides presented by the NRC and Clinton Power Station are available in ADAMS (accession numbers ML041130170 and ML041110819). Please contact me if there are any questions you have about this meeting at (630) 829-9729.

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Sincerely,

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Ann Marie Stone, Chief Branch 3 Division of Reactor Projects

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Clinton Performance Assessment Meeting

April 8, 2004

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Bill Iliff

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