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SUBJECT: POINT BEACH NUCLEAR PLANT, UNITS 1 AND 2 LICENSE RENEWAL  
REVIEW

Dear Mr. Klima:

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) staff is reviewing an application to renew the operating licenses for Point Beach Nuclear Plant, Units 1 and 2 (PBNP), which is located on the western shore of Lake Michigan in Two Rivers, Wisconsin, approximately 30 miles southeast of Green Bay, Wisconsin. PBNP is operated by Nuclear Management Company, LLC (NMC). The application for renewal was submitted by NMC on February 26, 2004, pursuant to NRC requirements at Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 54 (10 CFR Part 54). The NRC has established that, as part of the staff review of any nuclear power plant license renewal action, a site-specific Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement (SEIS) to its "Generic Environmental Impact Statement for License Renewal of Nuclear Plants" (GEIS), NUREG-1437, will be prepared under the provisions of 10 CFR Part 51, which implements the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA). In accordance with 36 CFR 800.8, the SEIS will include analyses of potential impacts to historic and cultural resources. A draft SEIS is scheduled for publication in January 2005, and will be provided to you for review and comment.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact the Environmental Project Manager for the Point Beach project, Mr. William Dam, at 301-415-4014 or [WLD@nrc.gov](mailto:WLD@nrc.gov).

Sincerely,

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