

June 21, 2004

Mr. Joseph Solymossy
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Prairie Island Nuclear Generating Plant
Nuclear Management Company, LLC
1717 Wakonade Drive East
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SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF THE JUNE 10, 2004 MEETING WITH PRAIRIE ISLAND
NUCLEAR GENERATING PLANT TO DISCUSS PRAIRIE ISLAND NUCLEAR
GENERATING PLANT PERFORMANCE

Dear Mr. Solymossy:

On June 10, 2004, a public meeting was held at the Prairie Island Nuclear Generating Plant Training Center, between the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) and Prairie Island Nuclear Generating Plant staff. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss NRC's assessment of Prairie Island Nuclear Generating Plant performance for the period of January 1, 2003, through December 31, 2003.

During the NRC presentation, an overall assessment of Prairie Island Nuclear Generating Plant's performance was provided. As explained in the Annual Assessment letter from NRC to you dated March 4, 2004, (ADAMS accession number ML040641210), Prairie Island Nuclear Generating Plant operated in a manner that preserved public health and safety. Plant performance for the most recent quarter, as well as for the first three quarters of the assessment cycle, was within the Licensee Response Column of the NRC's Action Matrix. This was based on all inspection findings being classified as having very low safety significance (Green) and all Performance Indicators indicating performance at a level requiring no additional NRC oversight (Green).

The meeting attendance list is enclosed. The slides presented by the NRC are available in ADAMS (ML041700135). Please contact me at (630) 829-9605, if there are any questions you have about this meeting.

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Sincerely,

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Kimberly Gruss, Acting Chief
Branch 5
Division of Reactor Projects

Docket Nos. 50-282; 50-306
License Nos. DPR-42; DPR-60

cc w/encl: C. Anderson, Senior Vice President, Group Operations
J. Cowan, Executive Vice President and Chief Nuclear Officer
Regulatory Affairs Manager
J. Rogoff, Vice President, Counsel & Secretary
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List of Attendees

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John Adams, Senior Resident Inspector, Prairie Island Nuclear Generating Plant

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Joseph Solymossy	Site Vice President
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Doug Blakesley	Senior Nuclear Security Consultant
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Gabe Salamon	Regulatory Affairs Manager
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