EGC ESP

NRC Seismic Site Visit

Prepared for the

U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (USNRC)







MAY 18-19, 2004

Agenda for NRC Site Visit

Tuesday, May 18

7:30 to 8:00 Introductory comments by

NRC and Exelon

8:00 to 10:00 PSHA Presentation with Q&A

[RAI Questions (b) and (c)]

10:00 to 10:30 Break

10:30 to 12:00 Continuation of PSHA Presentation

and Discussion

12:00 to 1:00 Lunch

1:00 to 3:00 Risk-Based Design

[RAI Questions (a) and (d)]

3:00 to 3:30 Break

3:30 to 6:00 Continuation of Risk-Based Design

Presentation and Discussion

Agenda for NRC Site Visit

Wednesday, May 19

7:30 to 10:30 Travel to CPS

10:30 to 12:00 Field tour of plant site, ESP footprint,

intake and outlet structures, and dam

12:00 to 12:30 Lunch

12:30 to 2:00 Paleoliquefaction Presentation

with Q&A

2:00 to 2:30 Break

2:30 to 4:30 Geotechnical Presentation

with Q&A

EGC ESP Project Team

Tuesday - PSHA and Design Response Spectrum

Exelon

Tom Mundy Eddie Grant CH2M HILL

Amy Lientz
Don Anderson
Matt Gavin

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Bob Youngs

Seismic Board of Review

Carl Stepp Allin Cornell Bob Kennedy

Wednesday - Site Visit, Paleoliquefaction and Geotechnical Engineering

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Key Seismic Issues

April 1, 2004 Draft RAI Questions from NRC

	Questions	When Discussed
(a)	Justify incorporation of equipment performance into determination of SSE (e.g., SAR Section 2.5.2 incorporates component capacity or performance parameters into a scale factor to compute SSE).	Tuesday pm
(b)	Explain how SSE in Section 2.5.2 is characterized by both horizontal and vertical free field ground motion spectra at ground surfaces.	Tuesday am
(c)	Describe how performance-based approach incorporates site-specific geology.	Tuesday am
(d)	Justify reference probability level used other than median 1 x 10 ⁻⁵ /year. [Justify why departed from R.G.1.165).	Tuesday pm

Key Seismic Issues

May 12, 2004 Email Topics from NRC

	Topics	When Discussed
(a)	Discuss update to EPRI source models for New Madrid, Wabash, and Southern Illinois and new source zones (maximum magnitude, recurrence, and geometry).	Tuesday am
(b)	Discuss survey/coverage of liquefaction.	Wednesday pm
(c)	Discuss incorporation of site geology into SSE ground motion determination.	Tuesday am
(d)	Discuss Bayesian estimate of maximum magnitude for central Illinois sources.	Tuesday am
(e)	Discuss use of EPRI shear modulus and damping curves.	Tuesday am Wednesday pm