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In the Matter of
DOMINION NUCLEAR NORTH ANNA, LLC
(Early Site Permit for the North Anna ESP Site)
Docket No. 52-008-ESP

Dear Administrative Judges:

In its Initial Scheduling Order dated January 19, 2005, the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board presiding over this proceeding ordered the NRC staff to notify the Board and parties of any delay and revised schedule "within 10 days of any changes or revisions in the estimates for completion or issuance of the FEIS, FSER, NUREG, or ACRS letter." The Staff previously informed the Board of changes to the Staff's review schedule in letters dated July 8, 2004, November 12, 2004, August 19, 2005, November 3, 2005, and February 16, 2006.

On April 14, 2006, the Applicant submitted Revision 6 to its application, in which it described changes to the cooling system for proposed Unit 3 and an increase in the power level for both proposed Units 3 and 4 from 4300 MWt to 4500 MWt.

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In light of Revision 6 to the application, and pursuant to the Board's Initial Scheduling Order, the Staff hereby informs the Board and parties that the Staff has established a revised schedule for completion of the Staff's review of the application. The review schedule is set forth in the enclosed Staff letter to the Applicant dated May 4, 2006.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure: As stated

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