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> LaSalle County Station, Units 1 and 2 Facility Operating License Nos. NPF-11 and NPF-18 NRC Docket Nos. 50-373 and 50-374

Subject:

Withdrawal of License Amendment Request to Revise License Basis to Allow Ganged Rod Drive Capability of the Rod Control Management System (RCMS).

Reference:

- (1) J. A. Bauer (Exelon Generation Company, LLC) letter to NRC dated March 15, 2006, "Request for a License Amendment to Revise License Basis to Allow Ganged Rod Drive Capability of the Rod Control Management System (RCMS)"
- (2) J. A. Bauer (Exelon Generation Company, LLC) letter to NRC dated May 10, 2006, "Supplemental Information Concerning License Amendment Request to Revise License Basis to Allow Ganged Rod Drive Capability of the Rod Control Management System (RCMS)"
- J. A. Bauer (Exelon Generation Company, LLC) letter to NRC dated June 1, 2006, "Supplemental Information Concerning License Amendment Request to Revise License Basis to Allow Ganged Rod Drive Capability of the Rod Control Management System (RCMS)"

In Reference 1, Exelon Generation Company, LLC (EGC) requested a license amendment to Facility Operating License Nos. NPF-11 and NPF-18 for LaSalle County Station (LSCS), Units 1 and 2 to incorporate the addition of a new accident description into the LSCS Updated Final Safety Analysis Report to allow ganged rod drive capability of the Rod Control Management System.

During a conference call on April 11, 2006, representatives from EGC and the NRC discussed technical issues concerning the proposed license amendment request (LAR). In response to NRC questions discussed during this teleconference, EGC provided supplemental information in References 2 and 3. After further discussions with the NRC, EGC has elected to withdraw the submittal, and will resubmit the LAR at a later date.

EGC recognizes that the originally proposed LAR addressed a somewhat unique and complex technical issue. Based on the complexity and uniqueness of the proposed change, and at the suggestion of the NRC, EGC will be prepared to discuss the proposed LAR in a technical meeting with the NRC during the week of September 18, 2006. EGC understands that an exact meeting date during that week will be established by the NRC, prior to the end of August 2006. The purpose of this technical meeting will be to identify the specific scope and level of detail of information needed by the NRC to complete a review of a resubmitted LAR.

If any additional information is needed regarding this issue, please contact Mr. John L. Schrage at (630) 657-2821.

Respectfully,

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