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FOR THE DAVIS-BESSE INITIAL EXAM - FEBRUARY 2008

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Senior Operations Engineer – Region III
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2443 Warrenville Road, Suite 210
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Subject:

Davis-Besse Nuclear Power Station, Unit 1
Docket Number 50-346, License Number NPF-3
Submittal of Examination Documentation for the Initial Licensed Operator Examination
Conducted at the Davis-Besse Nuclear Power Station

On Thursday, February 28, 2008, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) held a Debrief Meeting at the Davis-Besse Nuclear Power Station (DBNPS) Training Center following the NRC's onsite portion of the Initial Licensed Operator Exam. Additional written exams were administered by the DBNPS on Friday, February 29, 2008. In accordance with NUREG-1021, "Operator Licensing Examination Standards for Power Reactors," (Revision 9) Section ES-501, Section C.1.a, which states that the licensee shall forward certain examination documentation to the NRC as soon as possible (within 5 working days, when practical) after administering the examination, FirstEnergy Nuclear Operating Company hereby submits the following examination documentation:

- A the graded written examinations plus a clean copy of each applicant's answer sheet
- B the master examination and answer key, annotated to indicate changes made while administering and grading the examination
- C candidate questions (and answers given) during the written examination
- D the written examination seating chart
- E a completed Form ES-403-1, "Written Examination Grading Quality Checklist"
- F a written examination analysis
- G Three Condition Reports written in response to Chief Examiner concerns:
 - 08-36295, NRC License Exam Generic Weakness - Safety Tagging
 - 08-36348, NRC License Exam Generic Weakness - DNB Parameters Technical Specification
 - 08-36369, NRC Comments on the Quality of the License Written Exam Validation
- H Student comments on individual examination questions.

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The completed original Form(s) ES-201-3, "Examination Security Agreement," with a pre- and post-examination signature by every individual who had detailed knowledge of any part of the operating tests or written examinations before they were administered, is not available at the time of this submittal. This form(s) will be submitted as soon as practical within the next 30 days (Attachment 1).

If there are any questions or additional information required, please contact Mr. Raymond A. Hruby, Jr., Manager – Site Regulatory Compliance, at (419) 321-8000.

Sincerely yours,



Mark B. Bezilla

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Attachment:

1 Regulatory Commitment List

Enclosures:

- A Written Examinations and Answer Sheets
- B Master Examination (annotated) and Master Key
- C Candidate Questions and Answers
- D Exam Seating Chart
- E Form ES-403-1, "Written Examination Grading Quality Checklist"
- F Examination Analysis
- G Three Condition Reports
- H Student Comments

cc: NRC Regional Administrator, Region III (w/o Enclosure)
Chief - Operations Branch, NRC Region III (w/o Enclosure)
DB-1 NRC/NRR Project Manager (w/o Enclosure)
DB-1 NRC Senior Resident Inspector (w/o Enclosure)
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Attachment 1
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Regulatory Commitment List
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Regulatory Commitment

Due Date

- | | |
|---|---|
| 1. Submit the original Form(s) ES-201-3, "Examination Security Agreement," for the 2008 Initial Licensed Operator Examination | Within 30 days of submittal of the Examination Documentation (L-08-097) |
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February 14, 2008

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SUBJECT: OPERATOR LICENSING EXAMINATION APPROVAL

Dear Mr. Bezilla:

The purpose of this letter is to confirm the final arrangements for the upcoming operator licensing examinations at the Davis-Besse Nuclear Power Station.

The U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) has completed its review of the operator license applications in connection with this examination and will separately provide a list of approved applicants to Mr. Robert C. Hovland, Training Manager. Note that any examination waivers have been addressed in separate correspondence.

The NRC has approved the subject examinations and hereby authorizes you to administer the written examinations in accordance with Revision 9 of NUREG-1021, "Operator Licensing Examination Standards for Power Reactors," during the weeks of February 18, 2008, February 25, 2008, or March 3, 2008. The NRC staff will administer the operating tests during the weeks of February 18 and February 25, 2008.

Please contact Mr. Nicholas A. Valos, at 630-829-9761 if you have any questions or identify any errors or changes in the license level (RO or SRO) or type of examination (partial or complete written examination and/or operating test) specified for each applicant.

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Hironori Peterson, Chief
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October 2, 2007

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SUBJECT: FACILITY PREPARING EXAMINATION

Dear Mr. Bezilla:

In a telephone conversation on October 2, 2007, between Mr. C. Steenburg, Operations Training Superintendent and Mr. N. Valos, Senior Operations Engineer, arrangements were made for the administration of licensing examinations at the Davis-Besse Nuclear Power Station the weeks of February 18 and February 25, 2008. In addition, the NRC will make an examination validation visit to your facility the week of January 21, 2008.

As agreed during the telephone conversation, your staff will prepare the examinations based on the guidelines in Revision 9 of NUREG-1021, "Operator Licensing Examination Standards for Power Reactors." The NRC regional office will discuss with your staff any changes that might be necessary before the examinations are administered.

To meet the above schedule, it will be necessary for your staff to furnish the examination outlines by November 26, 2007. The written examinations, operating tests, and the supporting reference materials identified in Attachment 2 to ES-201 will be due by January 2, 2008. Pursuant to 10 CFR 55.40(b)(3), of the Code of Federal Regulations (10 CFR 55.40(b)(3)), an authorized representative of the facility licensee shall approve the outlines, examinations, and tests before they are submitted to the NRC for review and approval. All materials shall be complete and ready to use. We request that any personal, proprietary, sensitive unclassified, or safeguards information in your response be contained in a separate enclosure and appropriately marked. Any delay in receiving the required examination and reference materials, or the submittal of inadequate or incomplete materials, may cause the examinations to be rescheduled.

In order to conduct the requested written examinations and operating tests, it will be necessary for your staff to provide adequate space and accommodations in accordance with ES-402, and to make the simulation facility available on the dates noted above. In accordance with ES-302, your staff should retain the original simulator performance data (e.g., system pressures, temperatures, and levels) generated during the dynamic operating tests until the examination results are final.

Appendix E of NUREG-1021 contains a number of NRC policies and guidelines that will be in effect while the written examinations and operating tests are being administered.

To permit timely NRC review and evaluation, your staff should submit preliminary reactor operator and senior reactor operator license applications (Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval number 3150-0090), medical certifications (OMB approval number 3150-0024), and waiver requests (if any) (OMB approval number 3150-0090) at least 30 days before the first examination date. If the applications are not received at least 30 days before the examination date, a postponement may be necessary. Signed applications certifying that all training has been completed should be submitted at least 14 days before the first examination date.

This letter contains information collections that are subject to the *Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995* (44 U.S.C. 3501 et seq.). These information collections were approved by the Office of Management and Budget, approval number 3150-0018, which expires on June 30, 2009. The public reporting burden for this collection is estimated to average 500 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Send comments on any aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing the burden, to the Information and Records Management Branch (T-5 F53), U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, D.C. 20555-0001, or by Internet electronic mail at BJS1@nrc.gov; and to the Desk Officer, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, NEOB-10202, (3150-0018), Office of Management and Budget, Washington, D.C. 20503-0001.

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Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. Mr. Steenburgen has been advised of the policies and guidelines referenced in this letter. If you have any questions regarding the NRC's examination procedures and guidelines, please contact Nicholas Valos at 630-829-9761, or me at 630-829-9707.

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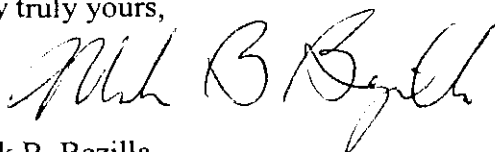
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Washington, D.C. 20555-0001Subject: Response to Regulatory Issue Summary 2007-17, "Preparation and Scheduling of
Operator Licensing Examinations"

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The Davis-Besse Nuclear Power Station (DBNPS) is providing information in response to NRC Regulatory Issue Summary 2007-17, "Preparation and Scheduling of Operator Licensing Examinations," as requested. The attached NRC Form 536, "Operator Licensing Examination Data," provides information through calendar year 2011 for Operator License Examinations and through calendar year 2009 for the Generic Fundamentals Examination.

Should you have any questions or require additional information, please contact Mr. Robert C. Hovland, Site Training Manager, at (419) 321-8406.

Very truly yours,



Mark B. Bezilla

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Attachment
Enclosurecc: Regional Administrator, NRC Region III
DB-1 NRC/NRR Project Manager
DB-1 NRC Senior Resident Inspector
Chief, Operations Branch, NRC Region III
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COMMITMENT LIST

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COMMITMENTS

DUE DATE

None

N/A

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Enclosure 1

Form NRC - 536

Operator Licensing Examination Data

(one page follows)

**OPERATOR LICENSING
EXAMINATION DATA**

Estimated burden per response to comply with this voluntary information collection request: 1 hour. This information collection is used to plan budgets and resources for operator examinations. Send comments regarding burden estimate to the Records and FOIA/Privacy Services Branch (T-5 F53), U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, or by internet e-mail to infocollects@nrc.gov, and to the Desk Officer, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, NECB-10202, (3150-0131), Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503. If a means used to impose an information collection does not display a currently valid OMB control number, the NRC may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, the information collection.

FACILITY Davis-Besse Nuclear Power Station, Unit 1	NRC REGION NRC Region III
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A. PROPOSED EXAMINATION PREPARATION SCHEDULE

PROPOSED NUMBER	CY 2008	CY 2009	CY 2010	CY 2011
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF LICENSEE-PREPARED EXAMINATIONS	1	1	0	1
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF NRC-PREPARED EXAMINATIONS	0	0	0	0

B. INITIAL OPERATOR LICENSE EXAMINATIONS

PROPOSED NUMBER	CY 2008	CY 2009	CY 2010	CY 2011
NUMBER OF REACTOR OPERATORS	4	6	0	4
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - INSTANT	10	10	0	10
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - UPGRADE	0	2	0	2
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - LIMITED	0	0	0	0
PROPOSED DATES				
PRIMARY DATE	02/18/2008	09/14/2009		09/19/2011
ALTERNATE DATE	03/17/2008	10/19/2009		10/17/2011

C. PROPOSED GENERIC FUNDAMENTALS EXAMINATION (GFE) SCHEDULE

PROPOSED NUMBER	CY 2008				CY 2009			
	MARCH	JUNE	SEPTEMBER	DECEMBER	MARCH	JUNE	SEPTEMBER	DECEMBER
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF CANDIDATES		15						



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**SUBJECT: CONFIRMATION OF INITIAL OPERATOR LICENSE EXAMINATIONS:
DAVIS-BESSE**

Dear Mr. Bezilla:

In a letter dated May 10, 2006, (Serial # 3254), your staff requested we re-schedule the initial license operator examination currently scheduled during the month of September 2007. Because of scheduling conflicts, we were not able to honor your primary date request. However, we were able to support the alternate date you provided. We have tentatively re-scheduled the requested examination to occur during the weeks of February 18, 2008, and February 25, 2008. On-site validation of the examination is tentatively scheduled to occur at the station during the week of January 28, 2008. In the unlikely event that we are unable to support the examination during the scheduled weeks, we will inform you immediately upon discovery of such conditions and make arrangements to administer the examination at a mutually acceptable date.

Your letter scheduling the September 2007 examination indicated your staff will prepare the written examination and operating tests. We are assuming you still intend to develop the examination re-scheduled to February 2008. If this is incorrect, please notify us immediately as this will significantly impact the examination administration dates. Your letter indicated that you are training approximately 18 candidates for the examination. Please inform us if the number of candidates declines below nine as this will also impact the examination schedule. Please inform us at your earliest opportunity if you discover you need to change the scheduled date for the examination.

A supplementary letter will be sent to the training department approximately 120 days prior to the initial examination informing them of the chief examiner's name. The letter will also outline examination security expectations, list the materials required by the NRC to conduct the examination, reconfirm the examination dates, and reconfirm the number of candidates you have in the training program. If you have any questions concerning this information, please contact Mr. Michael E. Bielby staff at 630-829-9762.

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Subject: Request to Rescind and Resubmit Operator Licensing Examination Data Submitted in Response to Regulatory Issue Summary 2005-19, "Preparation and Scheduling of Operator Licensing Examinations"

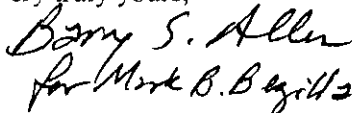
Ladies and Gentlemen:

The Davis-Besse Nuclear Power Station (DBNPS) hereby rescinds information submitted on NRC Form 536, Operator Licensing Examination Data, under letter Serial Number 3199, dated October 14, 2005, in response to NRC Regulatory Issue Summary 2005-19, "Preparation and Scheduling of Operator Licensing Examinations." The rescinded submittal proposed an Initial Operator License Examination date of September 10, 2007.

A revised NRC Form 536, Operator Licensing Examination Data, (Enclosure 1) provides amended information through calendar year 2009 for Operator Licensing Examinations and information through calendar year 2007 for the Generic Fundamentals Examination. The 2008 examination is expected to be ready for NRC review during October or November, 2007.

Should you have any questions or require additional information, please contact Mr. Mark A. Trump, Site Training Manager, at (419) 321-8494.

Very truly yours,



Mark B. Bezilla

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Attachment
Enclosurecc: Regional Administrator, NRC Region III
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COMMITMENT LIST

The following list identifies actions committed to by the Davis-Besse Nuclear Power Station (DBNPS) in this document. Any other actions discussed in the submittal represent intended or planned actions by the DBNPS. They are described only as information and are not regulatory commitments. Please notify the Manager, Regulatory Compliance (419-321-8585), at Davis-Besse of any questions regarding this document or associated regulatory commitments.

COMMITMENTS

DUE DATE

None

N/A

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Enclosure 1

Revised Form NRC - 536

Operator Licensing Examination Data

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**OPERATOR LICENSING
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Estimated burden per response to comply with this voluntary information collection request: 1 hour. This information collection is used to plan budgets and resources for operator examinations. Send comments regarding burden estimate to the Records and FOIA/Privacy Services Branch (T-5 F53), U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, or by internet e-mail to infocollects@nrc.gov, and to the Desk Officer, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, NEOB-10202, (3150-0131), Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503. If a means used to impose an information collection does not display a currently valid OMB control number, the NRC may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, the information collection.

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A. PROPOSED EXAMINATION PREPARATION SCHEDULE

PROPOSED NUMBER	CY 06	CY 07	CY 08	CY 09
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF LICENSEE-PREPARED EXAMINATIONS	0	1	0	1
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF NRC-PREPARED EXAMINATIONS	0	0	0	0

B. INITIAL OPERATOR LICENSE EXAMINATIONS

PROPOSED NUMBER	CY 06	CY 07	CY 08	CY 09
NUMBER OF REACTOR OPERATORS	0	0	6	3
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - INSTANT	0	0	12	3
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - UPGRADE	0	0	0	3
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - LIMITED	0	0	0	0
PROPOSED DATES				
PRIMARY DATE			01/21/2008	08/13/2009
ALTERNATE DATE			02/18/2008	09/17/2009

C. PROPOSED GENERIC FUNDAMENTALS EXAMINATION (GFE) SCHEDULE

PROPOSED NUMBER	CY 06				CY 07			
	MARCH	JUNE	SEPTEMBER	DECEMBER	MARCH	JUNE	SEPTEMBER	DECEMBER
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF CANDIDATES				18				

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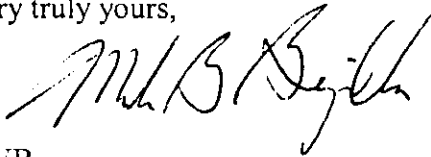
Subject: Response to Regulatory Issue Summary 2005-19, "Preparation and Scheduling of Operator Licensing Examinations"

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The Davis-Besse Nuclear Power Station (DBNPS) is providing information in response to NRC Regulatory Issue Summary 2005-19, "Preparation and Scheduling of Operator Licensing Examinations," as requested. The attached NRC Form 536, Operator Licensing Examination Data, provides information through calendar year 2009 for Operator Licensing Examinations and through calendar year 2007 for the Generic Fundamentals Examination.

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A. PROPOSED EXAMINATION PREPARATION SCHEDULE

PROPOSED NUMBER	CY <u>06</u>	CY <u>07</u>	CY <u>08</u>	CY <u>09</u>
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF LICENSEE-PREPARED EXAMINATIONS	0	1	0	1
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF NRC-PREPARED EXAMINATIONS	0	0	0	0

B. INITIAL OPERATOR LICENSE EXAMINATIONS

PROPOSED NUMBER	CY <u>06</u>	CY <u>07</u>	CY <u>08</u>	CY <u>09</u>
NUMBER OF REACTOR OPERATORS	0	8	0	3
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - INSTANT	0	10	0	3
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - UPGRADE	0	3	0	3
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - LIMITED	0	0	0	0
PROPOSED DATES				
PRIMARY DATE		09/10/2007		07/13/2009
ALTERNATE DATE		10/15/2007		08/17/2009

C. PROPOSED GENERIC FUNDAMENTALS EXAMINATION (GFE) SCHEDULE

PROPOSED NUMBER	CY <u>06</u>				CY <u>07</u>			
	MARCH	JUNE	SEPTEMBER	DECEMBER	MARCH	JUNE	SEPTEMBER	DECEMBER
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF CANDIDATES	0	21	0	0	0	0	0	0