

November 10, 2008

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SUBJECT: RECEIPT AND AVAILABILITY OF THE LICENSE RENEWAL APPLICATION
FOR THE COOPER NUCLEAR STATION, UNIT 1

Dear Mr. Minahan:

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We have enclosed for your information a copy of the notice relating to your application that is being sent to the Office of the Federal Register for publication.

I am pleased to announce the appointment of Tam Tran as the project manager for the review of your license renewal application. Please forward copies of all license renewal correspondence to Mr. Tran. Mr. Fred Lyon, Division of Operating Reactor Licensing project manager, continues to remain responsible for the project management of all issues other than license renewal for the Cooper Nuclear Station.

If you have any questions on this matter, please contact Mr. Tam Tran by telephone at 301-415-3617 or via e-mail at Tam.Tran@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,

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