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H. B. ROBINSON STEAM ELECTRIC PLANT, UNIT NO. 2
DOCKET NO. 50-261/LICENSE NO. DPR-23

RESPONSE TO REGULATORY ISSUE SUMMARY 2008-16,
"PREPARATION AND SCHEDULING OF OPERATOR LICENSING EXAMINATIONS"

Ladies and Gentlemen:

H. B. Robinson Steam Electric Plant (HBRSEP), Unit No. 2, is providing a completed NRC Form 536, "Operator Licensing Examination Data," as an attachment to this letter. This completed form is being provided in accordance with NRC Regulatory Issue Summary 2008-16, "Preparation and Scheduling of Operator Licensing Examinations." Data estimates are provided for initial operator licensing examination needs, including intentions regarding preparation of the examinations and an estimate of the number of applicants to be examined.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact me at (843) 857-1253.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "C. T. Baucom".

C. T. Baucom
Manager – Support Services – Nuclear

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Attachment

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2 Pages (including cover sheet)

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NRC Form 536, Operator Licensing Examination Data

**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, 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 2009	CY 2010	CY 2011	CY 2012
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF LICENSEE-PREPARED EXAMINATIONS	1	1	1	1
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF NRC-PREPARED EXAMINATIONS	0	0	0	0

B. INITIAL OPERATOR LICENSE EXAMINATIONS

PROPOSED NUMBER	CY 2009	CY 2010	CY 2011	CY 2012
NUMBER OF REACTOR OPERATORS	1	4	4	4
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - INSTANT	9	6	6	6
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - UPGRADE	0	4	4	4
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - LIMITED	0	0	0	0
PROPOSED DATES				
PRIMARY DATE	09/21/2009	03/22/2010	02/14/2011	02/13/2012
ALTERNATE DATE	09/07/2009	03/15/2010	02/28/2011	02/27/2012

C. PROPOSED GENERIC FUNDAMENTALS EXAMINATION (GFE) SCHEDULE

PROPOSED NUMBER	CY 2009				CY 2010			
	MARCH	JUNE	SEPTEMBER	DECEMBER	MARCH	JUNE	SEPTEMBER	DECEMBER
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF CANDIDATES	10	0	0	10	0	0	0	10