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Subject: Comments on Proposed Rule 10 CFR 50 and 52, "*Enhancements to Emergency Preparedness Regulations*" (74FR23245, dated May 18, 2009, RIN 3150-A110) and Related Emergency Preparedness Guidance Documents

This letter is being submitted in response to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) request for comments concerning the Proposed Rule 10 CFR 50 and 52, "*Enhancements to Emergency Preparedness Regulations*," published in the Federal Register on May 18, 2009 (i.e., 74FR23254).

This Proposed Rule would amend certain Emergency Preparedness (EP) requirements that govern the domestic licensing of production and utilization facilities. The proposed amendments would codify certain voluntary protective measures contained in NRC Bulletin 2005-02, "*Emergency Preparedness and Response Actions for Security-Based Events*," and other generically applicable requirements similar to those previously imposed by NRC orders. The proposed amendments would also modify other licensee emergency plan requirements based on a comprehensive review of the NRC's EP regulations and guidance.

In conjunction with this Proposed Rule, the NRC also issued the following the three proposed EP guidance documents for comment:

- DG-1237, "*Guidance on Making Changes to Emergency Response Plans for Nuclear Power Plants*"
- NUREG/CR-XXXX, "*Criteria for Development of Evacuation Time Estimate Studies*"
- Interim Staff Guidance (ISG) NSIR/DPR-ISG01, "*Emergency Planning for Nuclear Power Plants*"

Exelon Generation Company, LLC (Exelon) appreciates the opportunity to comment on this Proposed Rule and the related EP guidance documents.

Exelon fully supports the comments submitted by the Nuclear Energy Institute (NEI) on behalf of the industry in its letter dated October 19, 2009.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact Mr. Keith Kemper (610) 765-5432.

Respectfully,



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