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**SUBJECT: OPEN HOUSE AND PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS THE 2010
END-OF-CYCLE PLANT PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT OF
PRAIRIE ISLAND NUCLEAR GENERATING PLANT**

Dear Mr. Schimmel:

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If you have any questions regarding this meeting, please contact me at (630) 829-9619.

Sincerely,

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John B. Giessner, Chief
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