

NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket Nos. 50-373 and 50-374; NRC-2014-0268]

Exelon Generation Company, LLC; LaSalle County Station, Units 1 and 2; License Renewal

AGENCY: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Supplemental environmental impact statement; issuance.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is issuing a final plant-specific supplement, Supplement 57, to NUREG-1437, "Generic Environmental Impact Statement for License Renewal of Nuclear Plants" (GEIS), regarding the renewal of Exelon Generation Company, LLC, operating licenses NPF-11 and NPF-18 for an additional 20 years of operation for LaSalle County Station, Units 1 and 2 (LSCS).

DATES: Final Supplement 57 to the GEIS is available as of **[INSERT DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE *FEDERAL REGISTER*]**.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

In accordance with section 51.118 of title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations*, the NRC is making available for public inspection, final Supplement 57 to the GEIS regarding the renewal of Exelon Generation Company, LLC, operating licenses NPF-11 and NPF-18 for an additional 20 years of operation for LSCS. Draft Supplement 57 to the GEIS was noticed by the NRC in the *Federal Register* on February 11, 2016 (81 FR 7378), and was noticed by the Environmental Protection Agency on February 19, 2016 (81 FR 8490). The public comment period on draft Supplement 57 to the GEIS ended on April 4, 2016. The NRC received 11

public comment submissions from State and Federal government organizations, public interest organizations, private citizens, and the licensee. The comments received on the draft Supplement 57 were addressed in the final Supplement 57 to the GEIS.

II. Discussion

As discussed in Chapter 5 of the final Supplement 57 to the GEIS, the NRC determined that the adverse environmental impacts of license renewal for LSCS are not so great that preserving the option of license renewal for energy-planning decision makers would be unreasonable. This recommendation is based on: (1) the analysis and findings in the GEIS; (2) information provided in the environmental report and other documents submitted by Exelon Generation Company, LLC; (3) consultation with Federal, State, local, and Tribal government agencies; (4) the NRC staff's independent environmental review; and (5) consideration of public comments received during the scoping process and on the draft Supplement 57 to the GEIS.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 26th day of August, 2016.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

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