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July 18, 2017

Mr. Robert Coffey
Site Vice President
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SUBJECT: REQUALIFICATION PROGRAM INSPECTION

Dear Mr. Coffey:

In a telephone conversation on July 12, 2017, Mr. Raymond Keith Walton, Senior Operations Engineer, and Mr. Randy Amundsen, Point Beach Exam Coordinator, made arrangements for the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) to inspect the licensed operator requalification program at the Point Beach Nuclear Plant. The inspection is planned for the week of September 18, 2017, which coincides with your regularly scheduled requalification examination cycle. The staff at your facility should prepare and conduct the requalification examinations in accordance with your NRC-approved requalification program.

In accordance with Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR) 55.59(c), the NRC requested the facility licensee to submit their biennial comprehensive requalification written examinations and annual operating tests as necessary to support the NRC's inspection program needs. In order for the NRC to adequately prepare for this inspection, please furnish a written examination from last year and the operating tests scheduled for the week of the inspection and the week previous to the inspection to the NRC by September 11, 2017. Mr. Amundsen has been advised of this request and other information requested per Inspection Procedure 71111.11A, Appendix A, Items 1 – 6. Mr. Amundsen has been provided with the name and email address of the NRC lead inspector assigned to this inspection.

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Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. If you have any questions regarding this inspection, please contact Raymond Keith Walton (Raymond.Walton@nrc.gov) at 630-829-9836, or me at 630-829-9834.

Sincerely,

/RA Michael Bielby Acting for/

Robert J. Orlikowski, Chief
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