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March 1, 2024

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SUBJECT: HONEYWELL METROPOLIS WORKS, LICENSEE PERFORMANCE REVIEW -
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION INSPECTION REPORT
40-3392/2024-005

Dear Brett Suits:

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) Region II and Headquarters staff completed a review of the Honeywell Metropolis Works (Honeywell) inspection results and performance in conducting NRC licensed activities. The review covered the period beginning January 1, 2022, and ending December 31, 2023. Honeywell's performance was evaluated in the following areas: Safety Operations, Safeguards, Radiological Controls, Facility Support, and Other Areas. This letter provides the results of our review and constitutes the basis for establishing the NRC oversight program for your facility.

Overall, the NRC staff determined that Honeywell continued to conduct activities safely and securely and in a manner that protects public health and the environment. There was a total of one Severity Level (SL) IV, cited violation identified during the assessment period in the area of Safety Operations. Based on our review of licensed activities, no area needing improvement was identified for the performance areas of Safety Operations, Safeguards, Radiological Controls, Facility Support, or Other Areas. Therefore, the NRC plans to conduct the core inspection program for a Uranium Conversion Facility as described in NRC IMC 2600 Appendix B, "NRC Core Inspection Requirements Table 2," for the period of January 1, 2024, through December 31, 2025. Since there was no area needing improvement in the Safeguards performance area, a separate licensee performance review letter will not be issued for that area.

The results of our review will be discussed with you at a public meeting on April 4, 2024, from 6 pm-8 p.m. CST, located at the Metropolis Community Center (900 West 10th St., Metropolis, IL.). Although your site had no areas needing improvement for this current review cycle, you will still be granted the opportunity to discuss your facility's performance, in the same areas as those evaluated by the NRC, if you so choose.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.390 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter, and its Enclosure, will be made available electronically for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room or from the NRC's document system (ADAMS), accessible from the NRC Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html#web-based-adams>.

Please refer questions and comments regarding your performance review to Eric Michel, Chief, Projects Branch 2, by telephone at 404-997-4555.

Sincerely,



Signed by Masters, Anthony
on 03/01/24

Anthony D. Masters, Director
Division of Fuel Facility Inspection

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