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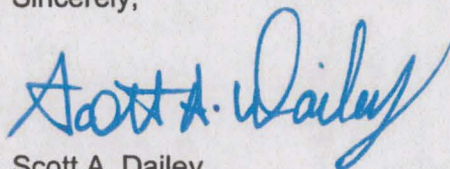
Donald C. Cook Nuclear Plant Units 1 and 2
Response to NRC Regulatory Issue Summary 2026-06
Preparation and Scheduling of Operator Licensing Examinations

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) Regulatory Issue Summary 2026-06, "Preparation and Scheduling of Operator Licensing Examinations," dated June 2, 2026, requests licensees to update examination schedules and applicant estimates for calendar years 2027 through 2030.

Indiana Michigan Power Company, the licensee for Donald C. Cook Nuclear Plant (CNP) Units 1 and 2, is providing, as an enclosure to this letter, NRC Form 536, "Operator Licensing Examination Data," which contains the details of CNP's operator licensing examination schedule, as requested. CNP has made changes to the 2028 and 2030 applicant estimates and proposed exam dates since the previous report.

There are no commitments contained in this submittal. Should you have any questions, please contact Mr. Tod E. Kaspar, Nuclear Operations Training Manager, at (269) 466-3084.

Sincerely,



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Enclosure: NRC Form 536, Operator Licensing Examination Data

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**OPERATOR LICENSING
EXAMINATION DATA**

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A. PROPOSED EXAMINATION PREPARATION SCHEDULE

PROPOSED NUMBER	CY 2028 _____	CY 2030 _____	CY _____	CY _____
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF LICENSEE-PREPARED EXAMINATIONS	1	1		
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF NRC-PREPARED EXAMINATIONS	0	0		

B. INITIAL OPERATOR LICENSE EXAMINATIONS

PROPOSED NUMBER	CY 2028 _____	CY 2030 _____	CY _____	CY _____
NUMBER OF REACTOR OPERATORS	8	9		
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - INSTANT	11	9		
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - UPGRADE	5	3		
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - LIMITED	0	0		
PROPOSED DATES				
PRIMARY DATE	6/20/2028	6/10/2030		
ALTERNATE DATE	06/26/2028	6/17/2030		