

October 20, 2003

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SUBJECT: NOTICE OF RECEIPT AND AVAILABILITY OF APPLICATION FOR EARLY  
SITE PERMIT (ESP) FOR THE CLINTON ESP SITE

Dear Ms. Kray:

On September 25, 2003, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) received the application submitted by Exelon Generation Company, LLC for an early site permit (ESP) for property co-located with the existing Clinton Power Station facility near Clinton, Illinois, hereafter identified as the Clinton ESP site. The staff is currently performing an acceptance review for docketing in accordance with the requirements of 10 CFR 2.101 and will notify you of the results of that review. If the application is determined acceptable for docketing, a review schedule will be provided at that time.

We have enclosed, for your information, a copy of the notice relating to the ESP application that has been forwarded to the Office of the *Federal Register* for publication. A copy of the application is available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room (PDR), located at One White Flint North, 11555 Rockville Pike (first floor), Rockville, Maryland and via the Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) Public Electronic Reading Room on the Internet at the NRC Web site, <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>. The accession number for the application is ML032721596. Future publicly available documents related to the application will also be posted in ADAMS. The application is also available to local residents at the Vespasian Warner Public Library in Clinton, Illinois, and it will be available on the NRC's new reactor licensing web page at <http://www.nrc.gov/reactors/new-licensing/license-reviews/esp.html>.

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The project manager for the review of your ESP application, Nanette Gilles, can be reached at 301-415-1180. The environmental project manager, Thomas Kenyon, can be reached at 301-415-1120.

Sincerely,

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