

July 18, 2006

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SUBJECT: CONFIRMATION OF INITIAL OPERATOR LICENSE EXAMINATION CHANGE:  
KEWAUNEE NUCLEAR POWER PLANT

Dear Mr. Christian:

In a letter dated July 5, 2006, (Serial No. 05-618A) your staff requested we re-schedule an initial license operator examination for the Kewaunee Nuclear Power Plant from December 2007 to June 2008. We have tentatively scheduled the requested examination to occur during the weeks of June 9 and June 16, 2008. On-site validation of the examination was scheduled to occur during the week of May 19, 2008. In the unlikely event that we are unable to support the examination during the scheduled weeks, we will inform you immediately upon discovery of such conditions and make arrangements to administer the examination at a mutually acceptable date.

We understand that your staff will develop the examination. Because of the indicated class size, we have allotted 2 weeks for the examination. Please inform us if the number of candidates declines below ten as this will impact the examination schedule. Please inform us at your earliest opportunity if you discover you need to change the scheduled date for the examination.

A supplementary letter will be sent to the training department approximately 120 days prior to the initial examination informing them of the chief examiner's name. The letter will also outline examination security expectations, list the materials required by the NRC to conduct the examination, reconfirm the examination dates, and reconfirm the number of candidates you have in the training program.

We will be conducting a Licensed Operator Requalification Training Program Inspection (IP 71111.11) at the Kewaunee Nuclear Power Plant during the week of July 24, 2007, and have tentatively scheduled the next Requalification Training Program Inspection for the week of August 10, 2009. Please inform us at your earliest opportunity if you discover this week is outside of your normally scheduled requalification training program's annual examinations. If you have any questions concerning this information, please contact Mr. Dell McNeil of my staff at 630-829-9737.

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