

August 1, 2012

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

BEFORE THE ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD

In the Matter of)	
)	
EXELON NUCLEAR TEXAS HOLDINGS, LLC)	
)	Docket No. 52-042
)	
(Victoria County Station Site))	
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STATUS REPORT

In accordance with the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board's (Board) Initial Scheduling Order,¹ the NRC staff (Staff) is providing the Board with the Staff's Status Report. At this time, the Staff plans to issue the Advanced Final Safety Evaluation Report (AFSER) in August, 2013. The Staff projects that the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards (ACRS) will complete its review of the AFSER by December, 2013. The Staff and ACRS have not yet scheduled the dates for meetings with the relevant ACRS subcommittee and the full ACRS, nor have they scheduled dates for when those committees will issue their respective reports. The Staff anticipates issuing the Final Safety Evaluation Report in April, 2014.

At this time, the draft Environmental Impact Statement is scheduled to be issued in March, 2013. The Final Environmental Impact Statement is scheduled to be issued in March, 2014.

¹ *Exelon Nuclear Texas Holdings, LLC* (Victoria County Station Site), ASLBP No. 11-908-01-ESP-BD01, 74 NRC __ (slip op at 10) (August 10, 2011).

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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