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Mr. Michael J. Pacilio
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SUBJECT: BRAIDWOOD STATION, UNITS 1 AND 2 – REQUEST FOR
INFORMATION FOR AN NRC LICENSE RENEWAL INSPECTION
05000456/20140009; 05000457/2014009

Dear Mr. Pacilio:

On September 15, 2014, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) will begin a License Renewal Inspection at your Braidwood Station. This inspection will be performed in accordance with the NRC Inspection Procedure (IP) 71002.

The on-site portion of the inspection will take place as follow:

- Week 1: September 15 – 19, 2014
- Week 2: September 22 – 26, 2014

We understand that our regulatory contact for this inspection is Mr. Murtaza Abbas of your organization. If there are any questions about the inspection or this request, please contact the lead inspector Caroline Tilton at (630) 829-9718 or via e-mail at caroline.tilton@nrc.gov.

Experience has shown that these inspections are extremely resource intensive, both for the NRC inspectors and the applicant staff. In order to minimize the inspection impact on the site and to ensure a productive inspection for both parties, we would like to request the documents needed for the inspection. The lead inspector already has a copy of the original license renewal application. In order to ensure the inspection team is adequately prepared for the inspection, please provide a copy of any amendments to the application. This information should be made available via email to the lead inspector no later than September 2, 2014. The lead inspector will coordinate with your staff to determine what additional information the team will review, or need access to, during the onsite inspection. It is important that all documents provided are up to date and complete.

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Sincerely,

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