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SUBJECT: HONEYWELL METROPOLIS WORKS – CORE INSPECTION REPORT
04003392/2021004

Dear Mr. Hunt:

This letter refers to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) inspection oversight activities conducted from October 1 to December 31, 2021, for the Honeywell Metropolis Works facility in Metropolis, IL. During that time, the NRC did not conduct inspection activities on-site in accordance with the revised core inspection schedule documented in NRC Inspection Report 2020-005 (ADAMS Accession Number ML20062K159). In that inspection report, the NRC described the inspection program adjustments made to reflect the ready-idle status of the Honeywell Metropolis Works facility. The calendar year 2021 inspection schedule discussed in the July 2, 2020, letter (ML20189A246) did not include on-site inspections in the fourth quarter of calendar year 2021. Although there were no inspections in the fourth quarter of calendar year 2021, inspectors continued to conduct supplemental reviews of licensee-submitted reports (e.g., effluent reports, plant modification reports, and changes to the Integrated Safety Analysis Summary) and increased communications with your staff to discuss the status of plant operations.

No violations of more than minor significance were identified during this period.

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Sincerely,

/RA/

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