

NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket Nos. 50-237 and 50-249]

Exelon Generation Company, LLC, Dresden Nuclear Power Station, Units 2 and 3; Notice of Availability of the Final Supplement 17 to Generic Environmental Impact Statement for the License Renewal of Dresden Nuclear Power Station, Units 2 and 3

Notice is hereby given that the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has published a final plant-specific supplement to the Generic Environmental Impact Statement (GEIS), NUREG-1437, regarding the renewal of operating licenses DPR-19 and DPR-25 for an additional 20 years of operation at Dresden Nuclear Power Station (DNPS). DNPS is located in Goose Lake Township, Grundy County, Illinois, adjacent to the Illinois River at the confluence of the Des Plaines and Kankakee Rivers. Possible alternatives to the proposed action (license renewal) include no action and reasonable alternative energy sources.

Section 9.3 of the final supplement 17 states:

Based on (1) the analysis and findings in the GEIS (NRC 1996; 1999); (2) the ER [Environmental Report] submitted by Exelon (Exelon 2003b); (3) consultation with Federal, State, and local agencies; (4) the staff's own independent review; and (5) the staff's consideration of the public comments, the recommendation of the staff is that the Commission determine that the adverse environmental impacts of license renewal for Dresden Units 2 and 3 are not so great that preserving the option of license renewal for energy planning decision makers would be unreasonable.

The final Supplement 17 to the GEIS is available for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room (PDR) located at One White Flint North, 11555 Rockville Pike (first floor), Rockville, Maryland, or from the Publicly Available Records (PARS) component of NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS). ADAMS is accessible from the NRC Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html> (the Public Electronic Reading Room). Persons who do not have access to ADAMS, or who encounter problems in accessing the documents located in ADAMS, should contact the PDR reference staff at 1-800-397-4209, 301-415-4737, or by e-mail to pdr@nrc.gov. In addition, the Morris Area Public Library, located at 604 West Liberty Street, Morris, Illinois; and the Coal City Public Library District, located at 85 North Garfield

Street, Coal City, Illinois, have agreed to make the final plant-specific supplement to the GEIS available for public inspection.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. James H. Wilson, License Renewal and Environmental Impacts Program, Division of Regulatory Improvement Programs, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555. Mr. Wilson may be contacted at 301-415-1108 or jhw1@nrc.gov.

Dated in Rockville, Maryland, this 29th day of June, 2004.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.
Pao-Tsin Kuo,
Program Director, License Renewal and Environmental Impacts Program, Division of Regulatory Improvement Programs, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**Sunshine Act Meeting**

AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

DATE: Weeks of July 5, 12, 19, 26, August 2, 9, 2004.

PLACE: Commissioners' Conference Room, 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland.

STATUS: Public and closed.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

Week of July 5, 2004

Wednesday, July 7, 2004

1:55 p.m.—Affirmation Session
(Public meeting) (If needed)

Week of July 12, 2004—Tentative

Tuesday, July 13, 2004

2:15 p.m.—Discussion of Security Issues (Closed—Ex. 1)

Wednesday, July 14, 2004

1:15 p.m.—Affirmation Session
(Public Meeting) (If needed)

Week of July 19, 2004—Tentative

Wednesday, July 21, 2004

9:30 a.m.—Meeting with Advisory Committee on Nuclear Waste (ACNW) (Public Meeting) (Contact: John Larkins, 301-415-7360)

This meeting will be webcast live at the Web address: <http://www.nrc.gov>

Week of July 26, 2004—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the Week of July 26, 2004.

Week of August 2, 2004—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the Week of August 2, 2004.

Week of August 9, 2004—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the Week of August 9, 2004.

*The schedule for Commission meetings is subject to change on short notice. To verify the status of meetings call (recording)—(301) 415-1292. Contact person for more information: Dave Gamberoni, (301) 415-1651.

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: By a vote of 3-0 on June 30, the Commission determined pursuant to U.S.C. 552b(e) and § 9.107(a) of the Commission's rules that "Discussion of Security Issues (Closed—Ex. 1)" be held June 30, and on less than one week's notice to the public.

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The NRC Commission Meeting Schedule can be found on the Internet at: <http://www.nrc.gov/what-we-do/policy-making/schedule.html>

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Dated: July 1, 2004.

R. Michelle Schroll,

Office of the Secretary.

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POSTAL RATE COMMISSION

[Docket No. MC2004-3; Order No. 1411]

Negotiated Service Agreement

AGENCY: Postal Rate Commission.

ACTION: Notice and order concerning late-filed Bank One testimony.

SUMMARY: This document informs the public that Bank One has filed a motion for late acceptance of additional testimony in support of a negotiated service agreement with the Postal Service. The document also notes the absence of any previous indication that this testimony might be filed, and states that its acceptance may raise due process concerns given the expedited nature of the case. It explains that participants will be given an opportunity to raise verbal objections to the testimony at the prehearing conference.

DATES: Objections to the Bank One Corporation motion for late acceptance of testimony are due July 15, 2004 (during the prehearing conference).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Stephen L. Sharfman, general counsel, at (202) 789-6818.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Procedural History

Negotiated Service Agreement Proposed Rule, 68 FR 52546 (September 4, 2003).

Negotiated Service Agreement Final Rule, 69 FR 7574 (September 4, 2003).

Rate and Service Changes to Implement Functionally Equivalent Negotiated Service Agreement, 69 FR 39520 (June 25, 2004).

On June 28, 2004, Bank One Corporation filed motion of Bank One Corporation for late acceptance of the testimony of Lawrence G. Buc (Motion).¹ Bank One notes that the Postal Service's request and Bank One witness Rappaport's testimony were filed on June 21, 2004. Bank One asserts that production and coordination difficulties prevented witness Buc's testimony from being filed at that time. It requests late acceptance of witness Buc's testimony, and contends that it believes no party will be prejudiced by this delay.

The procedural rules for reviewing Postal Service requests predicated on functionally equivalent negotiated service agreements were promulgated with the intent of facilitating expedited review. Decisions can be issued in as little as 60 days. Assuming an expedited schedule, the filing of new testimony 7 days after the filing of the Postal Service's request, without any prior

notice in the request of the potential for additional testimony, could be prejudicial and affect the procedural and due process rights of current and potential intervenors.²

The Secretary shall arrange for publication of this notice and order in there **Federal Register** to advise current and potential participants of the submission of additional testimony on behalf of Bank One. Any objection to the motion to accept this testimony shall be presented at the July 15, 2004 prehearing conference

Ordering Paragraphs

It is ordered:

1. Any objection to the Motion of Bank One Corporation for Late Acceptance of the Testimony of Lawrence G. Buc shall be presented at the July 15, 2004 prehearing conference.

2. The Secretary shall arrange for publication of this notice and order in the **Federal Register**.

Issued: July 2, 2004.

By the Commission.

Steven W. Williams,

Secretary.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

FEDERAL REGISTER CITATION OF PREVIOUS ANNOUNCEMENT: 69 FR 40690, July 6, 2004.

STATUS: Closed Meeting.

PLACE: 450 Fifth Street, NW., Washington, DC.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF ADDITIONAL MEETING: Additional meeting.

A Closed Meeting will be held on Thursday, July 15, 2004, at 2 p.m.

Commissioners, Counsel to the Commissioners, the Secretary to the Commission, and recording secretaries will attend the Closed Meeting. Certain staff members who have an interest in the matter may also be present.

The General Counsel of the Commission, or his designee, has certified that, in his opinion, one or more of the exemptions set forth in 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(5), (7), (9) and (10) and 17 CFR 200.402(a)(5), (7), 9(ii) and (10) permit consideration of the scheduled matter at the Closed Meeting.

Commissioner Campos, as duty officer, voted to consider the item listed

for the closed meeting in a closed session.

The subject matter of the Closed Meeting scheduled for Thursday, July 15, 2004, will be: Formal orders of investigation; Institution and settlement of injunctive actions; Institution and settlement of administrative proceedings of an enforcement nature; Regulatory matter involving a financial institution; and Adjudicatory matters.

At times, changes in Commission priorities require alterations in the scheduling of meeting items. For further information and to ascertain what, if any, matters have been added, deleted or postponed, please contact the Office of the Secretary at (202) 942-7070.

Dated: July 6, 2004.

Margaret H. McFarland,

Deputy Secretary.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[Release No. 34-49958; File No. SR-OPRA-2004-02]

Options Price Reporting Authority; Notice of Filing of Proposed Amendment to the Plan for Reporting of Consolidated Options Last Sale Reports and Quotation Information and Amendment No. 1 Thereto To Eliminate From the Plan References to the Fee Exemption Pilot Currently Provided for in the Plan

July 1, 2004.

Pursuant to section 11A of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act")¹ and Rule 11Aa3-2 thereunder,² notice is hereby given that on May 7, 2004, the Options Price Reporting Authority ("OPRA")³ submitted to the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission") an amendment to the Plan for Reporting of Consolidated Options Last Sale Reports and Quotation Information ("OPRA Plan"). On June 23, 2004, OPRA submitted Amendment No. 1 to

¹ 15 U.S.C. 78k-1.

² 17 CFR 240.11Aa3-2.

³ OPRA is a national market system plan approved by the Commission pursuant to section 11A of the Act and Rule 11Aa3-2 thereunder. See Securities Exchange Act Release No. 17638 (March 18, 1981), 22 S.E.C. Docket 484 (March 31, 1981). The OPRA Plan provides for the collection and dissemination of last sale and quotation information on options that are traded on the participant exchanges. The six participants to the OPRA Plan are the American Stock Exchange LLC, the Boston Stock Exchange, Inc., the Chicago Board Options Exchange, Inc., the International Securities Exchange, Inc. ("ISE"), the Pacific Exchange, Inc., and the Philadelphia Stock Exchange, Inc.

¹ Contemporaneous with this Motion, Bank One filed direct testimony of Lawrence G. Buc on behalf of Bank One Corporation, June 28, 2004, and the Postal Service filed United States Postal Service notice of review of the direct testimony of Lawrence G. Buc on behalf of Bank One Corporation, June 28, 2004.

² Rule 192(a) [39 CFR 3001.192a] requires all prepared direct evidence to be filed simultaneously with the filing of the Postal Service's formal request.