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To Whom It May Concern:

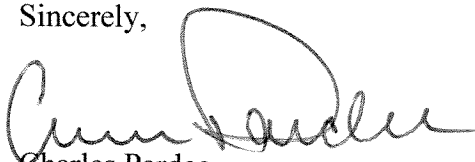
On behalf of Exelon Generation Company, LLC ("Exelon"), I am writing to express Exelon's support for the plans of the Braidwood Collaboration. Representatives of Exelon have had several meetings with scientists of the Braidwood Collaboration to discuss their proposal to use the Braidwood Nuclear Power Station to make precision measurements of neutrino properties. Exelon is enthusiastic about the opportunity to participate in this timely scientific endeavor.

We understand that the proposed experiment will include detectors approximately 200 m (outside the security perimeter) and 1500 m from the reactor cores. The detectors will be placed in caverns at the bottom of approximately 10 m diameter, 180 m deep shafts at these positions. The experiment will also be designed to allow surface transportation (either by rail or crawler) of the detectors between the near and far shafts. The construction of the experiment will last 2-3 years, and data collection could extend for 10 years. The cost of civil construction and all experimental apparatus will be borne by funding agencies supporting the research. We are confident that security and site access issues related to this plan can be addressed in a way acceptable to both Exelon and the experimenters.

As a first step in this program, Exelon and The University of Chicago have concluded a Memorandum of Understanding to drill bore holes to full depth at the near and far shaft positions. These bore holes will provide necessary geological information to proceed with the civil engineering design for the full project.

We look forward to continued collaboration between Exelon and members of the Braidwood Collaboration.

Sincerely,



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