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**AmerenUE Comments on Proposed Generic Communication
Establishing and Maintaining a Safety Conscious Work Environment
(69 Fed Reg. 61049; October 14, 2004)**

Dear Mr. Lesar:

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) has announced its intent to issue a Regulatory Issue Summary (RIS) to provide guidance to licensees on establishing and maintaining a Safety Conscious Work Environment SCWE. Ameren UE strongly urges the NRC not to issue the proposed best practices document. AmerenUE believes that implementation of practices to ensure NRC's expectation of a SCWE is the responsibility of the licensee. However, if NRC persists in issuing the proposed document, AmerenUE endorses the comments provided on behalf of the nuclear industry by the Nuclear Energy Institute (NEI).

AmerenUE appreciates the opportunity to comment on this proposed document. If there are any questions regarding these comments, please contact Mr. David S. Hollabaugh, Superintendent, Employee Concerns, at 573-676-8238, or dshollabaugh@cal.amcren.com.

Sincerely,

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