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Allan Stratman
Executive Director
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Dear Al,

I am writing on behalf of the Illinois Climate Action Plan Working Group (iWG) to inquire about the status of the Utilities Production and Distribution Master Plan being developed by AEI.

The SWATeam on Energy Generation, Purchasing, and Distribution brought to our attention that the AEI report is evidently not yet complete, and that they were not able to ascertain when it would be.

The iWG is concerned about the delays and the lack of information sharing regarding this important plan. Since the AEI study was motivated by the 2010 iCAP, the iWG would like to have a representative on the team that reviews AEI's work products to ensure that they meet the charge given to them. We would also like the opportunity to review the RFP under which the AEI study was commissioned.

Perhaps most importantly, as you know we are currently in the process of synthesizing the recommendations from the SWATeams into a draft of the 2015 iCAP, which we expect to share with the Sustainability Council in just over a month. Having access to even preliminary work products from AEI would be extremely helpful in informing this process.

Sincerely,

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