September 15, 2008

Mr. James Scarola Senior Vice President and Chief Nuclear Officer Progress Energy Florida, Inc. P.O. Box 1551 Raleigh, NC 27602

## SUBJECT: ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RECEIPT OF THE COMBINED LICENSE APPLICATION FOR LEVY COUNTY NUCLEAR PLANT UNITS 1 AND 2 AND ASSOCIATED FEDERAL REGISTER NOTICE

Dear Mr. Scarola:

On July 30, 2008, you tendered a combined license application (COLA) for two AP1000 advanced passive pressurized water reactors (AP1000) to be located at a greenfield site in Levy County, Florida. These proposed plants are to be designated Levy Nuclear Plant Units 1 and 2. You stated that you were submitting the COLA pursuant to the requirements of Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR) Part 52, "Licenses, Certifications, and Approvals for Nuclear Power Plants."

The NRC staff acknowledges receipt of your application and plans to complete an acceptance review of the application. If the staff finds your application to be acceptable, we will docket the application. The staff plans to make its determination on acceptability for docketing by October 6, 2008. To the extent possible, the staff will communicate with you as issues arise during the acceptance review.

Enclosed is the notice that will be forwarded to the Office of the Federal Register to inform the public of receipt and availability of the subject application.

If your application is found to be acceptable, the NRC staff will publish a schedule for review of the LNP COLA within 30 days of completion of the acceptance review. If you have any questions, I can be reached at (301) 415-9967 or by e-mail at <u>Brian.Anderson@nrc.gov</u>.

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