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SUBJECT: PARTIAL IMPLEMENTAION OF AMENDMENT NO. 69 TO FACILITY OPERATING

LICENSE NO. NPF-58 - PERRY NUCLEAR POWER PLANT, UNIT NO. 1

Dear Mr. Shelton:

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The NRC staff has reviewed the information that you submitted, and finds that the partial implementation poses no safety concern. Should you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact me.

Sincerely,

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