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United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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Seabrook Station
Withdrawal of License Amendment Request 01-12
Associated With Changes to Spent Fuel Assembly Storage Technical Specification 3/4.9.13

FPL Energy Seabrook, LLC (FPLE Seabrook) hereby withdraws License Amendment Request (LAR) 01-12 submitted by letter NYN-02024, dated March 22, 2002. LAR 01-12 proposed changes to the Seabrook Station Technical Specifications for spent fuel storage to reflect a two-zone spent fuel pool consisting of BORAFLEX[®] and BORAL[®] fuel assembly storage racks. Withdrawal of LAR 01-12 is predicated on evaluation of an unexpected degradation mechanism associated with the BORAL[®] fuel assembly storage racks. FPLE Seabrook expects to re-submit a revised License Amendment Request once the issue is evaluated.

Should you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Mr. James M. Peschel, Regulatory Programs Manager, at (603) 773-7194.

Very truly yours,

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