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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Attention: Document Control Desk  
Washington, DC 20555-0001

SUBJECT: Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc.  
Pilgrim Nuclear Power Station  
Docket No.: 50-293  
License No.: DPR-35

Withdrawal of Request for NRC Approval of Engineering Evaluation of  
Elevated Safety Relief Valves' Discharge Pipe Temperatures  
(TAC No. MC1799)

REFERENCES: 1. Entergy Letter, 2.04.004, Request for NRC Approval of Engineering  
Evaluation of Elevated Safety Relief Valves' Discharge Pipe  
Temperatures, dated January 16, 2004

2. Entergy Letter, 2.04.018, Response to Request for Additional  
Information (TAC No. MC1799), dated February 25, 2004

LETTER NUMBER: 2.04.032

Dear Sir or Madam:

Entergy hereby withdraws the referenced request for NRC approval of engineering evaluation of elevated safety relief valves' discharge pipe temperatures that was submitted in accordance with 10 CFR 50.90 and Pilgrim Station Technical Specification 3.6.D.4. NRC approval is not required since Pilgrim repaired the main steam safety relief valves RV-203-3A and RV-203-3D during the March 22, 2004 outage.

There are no commitments contained in this letter.

Please feel free to contact Bryan Ford, (508) 830-8403, if you have any questions or require additional information.

Sincerely,



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