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Attention: Document Control Desk  
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**Subject: Beaver Valley Power Station, Unit No. 2  
Docket No. 50-412, License No. NPF-73  
Withdrawal of Proposed Revision to Previously Approved Deviation  
From Branch Technical Position (BTP) CMEB 9.5-1**

FirstEnergy Nuclear Operating Company (FENOC) hereby withdraws the request for review and approval of a revision to a previously approved deviation from Branch Technical Position (BTP) CMEB 9.5-1, "Guidelines for Fire Protection for Nuclear Power Plants." The request was submitted by FENOC letter dated February 13, 2004.

As an alternative to the requested revision, FENOC is evaluating adoption of the national consensus standard NFPA 805 and associated performance based alternatives.

There are no regulatory commitments contained in this letter. Should you have any questions concerning this request, please contact Mr. Henry L. Hegrat, Supervisor Licensing at (330) 315-6944.

Sincerely,

  
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