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**ASME CODE RELIEF REQUEST WITHDRAWAL
SALEM GENERATING STATION – UNIT 1 AND UNIT 2
DOCKET NOS. 50-272 AND 50-311
FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE NOS. DPR-70 AND DPR-75**

By letter dated November 16, 2005, PSEG Nuclear LLC (PSEG) requested relief from American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) Section VIII, Division 1, UG-27. This relief request was submitted to align the design pressure of the Component Cooling Heat Exchangers with the remainder of the Service Water System. This relief request was submitted under section 10CFR 50.55a(a)(3)(i).

Following discussions with the staff, PSEG has decided to withdraw this relief request and pursue other regulatory processes to achieve this change.

PSEG will notify the NRC if future staff approval is necessary.

If you have any questions regarding this submittal, please contact Mr. Justin Wearne at (856) 339-5081.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Thomas P. Joyce".

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