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DOMINION ENERGY KEWAUNEE, INC.
KEWAUNEE POWER STATION

**WITHDRAWAL OF LICENSE AMENDMENT REQUEST 214 - REQUEST FOR
REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF METHODOLOGY CHANGE REGARDING TORNADO
MISSILES**

Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.90 Dominion Energy Kewaunee, Inc. (DEK) requested Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) approval of a proposed license amendment request (LAR) for the Kewaunee Power Station (Kewaunee) (reference 1). The proposed amendment would allow the use of a different methodology for determining the design requirements necessary for protecting safety-related equipment from damage by tornado generated missiles. Subsequently, the NRC sent DEK a request for additional information (RAI) to complete their review of the methodology change request (reference 2). During DEK's development of responses to the NRC RAI, a meeting was requested to discuss the RAI with the NRC staff (reference 3). Based on the public meeting held at NRC Headquarters on January 25, 2007, DEK has determined that additional analysis is required to provide the information requested by the NRC.

Because this analysis will not be completed until July 2007 and DEK believes that supplementing the original submittal would be more confusing than submitting a new request, DEK has determined that withdrawing the current methodology change request is appropriate.

Therefore, DEK hereby withdraws License Amendment Request 214, "Request for Review and Approval of Methodology Change Regarding Tornado Missiles," but will re-submit a new license amendment request when the supporting analysis is completed.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact Mr. Craig Sly at (804) 273-2784.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gerald T. Bischof".

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References:

1. Letter from David A. Christian (DEK) to Document Control Desk (NRC), "License Amendment Request 214 - Request for Review and Approval of Methodology Change Regarding Tornado Missiles," dated April 6, 2006.
2. Additional Questions re: Draft RAI on Amendment for Kewaunee re: Tornado Design Basis, dated October 11, 2006 (ADAMS Accession Number ML062850056).
3. Meeting Notice - 01/25/2007 Forthcoming meeting With Dominion Energy Kewaunee, Inc. to Discuss the Licensee's Request to use TORMIS Methodology for Analysis of Tornado Generated Missiles (ADAMS Accession Number ML070100377).

Commitments made by this letter: None.

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