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Subject: Progress Energy Levy Nuclear Plant COL Project - NRC Number 756

Reference: NRC Regulatory Issue Summary 2008-01, *"Process for Scheduling Acceptance Reviews Based On Notification Of Applicant Submission Dates For Early Site Permits, Combined Licenses, And Design Certifications And Process For Determining Budget Needs For Fiscal Year 2010"*

In the reference Regulatory Issue Summary (RIS) the NRC has requested that, 90 days prior to the expected submission date, applicants declare their expected submission date (month, day, year) to the NRC for each early site permit (ESP), limited work authorization (LWA), standard design certification (DC), and partial or complete combined operating license (COL) application.

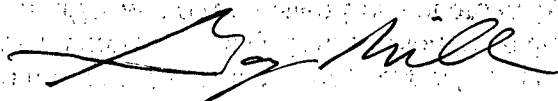
This letter provides the voluntary response to the request. Progress Energy expects to submit a complete (COL) application for the proposed two-unit project in Levy County, Florida on July 30, 2008. The application will include a request for an LWA with a requested LWA approval by the fourth quarter of 2010.

The scope of the LWA is as follows:

- Installation of a permanent reinforced concrete Diaphragm Wall to facilitate excavation for the Nuclear Island,
- Consolidation grouting of substrate in-situ material below Nuclear Island foundation,
- Nuclear Island foundation surface preparation with dental concrete,
- Roller Compacted Concrete (RCC) placement under the Nuclear Island,
- Install mud mat under the Nuclear Island,
- Install waterproofing within the mud mat under the Nuclear Island,
- Install rebar in the Nuclear Island concrete foundation,
- Erection of safety related concrete placement forms,
- Install Turbine Building Foundation Piles,
- Install Annex Building Foundation Piles, and
- Install Radwaste Building Foundation Piles.

If you have any questions, or need additional information, please contact Bob Kitchen at (919) 546-6992, or me at (919) 546-6107.

Sincerely,



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