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

DOCKET: No. 52-024

SUBJECT: Extension for Responses to NRC Requests for Additional Information,
Letter No. 26 and Letter No. 27 (GG3 COLA)

REFERENCE: 1. NRC Letter to Entergy Nuclear, *Request for Additional Information Letter No. 26 Related to the SRP Section 2.5.1 – 2.5.5 for the Grand Gulf Combined License Application*, dated December 8, 2008 (ADAMS Accession No. ML083400543).

2. NRC Letter to Entergy Nuclear, *Request for Additional Information Letter No. 27 Related to the SRP Section 2.4.2, 2.4.12 and 2.4.13 for the Grand Gulf Combined License Application*, dated December 8, 2008 (ADAMS Accession No. ML083430714).

Dear Sir or Madam:

In References 1 and 2, the NRC requested additional information from Entergy Operations, Inc. (Entergy) on items related to SRP Sections 2.5.1 through 2.5.5 and 2.4.2, 2.4.12 and 2.4.13, to support the review of certain portions of the Grand Gulf Unit 3 Combined License Application (COLA). The due dates for the responses to these requests for additional information (RAI) contained in the referenced letters are January 7, 2009 and January 8, 2009, respectively.

Entergy has determined that additional time is required to respond to References 1 and 2 due to external interface needs and the associated schedule. Therefore, Entergy will provide responses to RAI Letter 26 and 27 by March 2, 2009.

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Should you have any questions, please contact me or Mr. Tom Williamson of my staff. Mr. Williamson may be reached as follows:

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This letter contains two commitments as identified in Attachment 1.

Sincerely,



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Attachments: 1. Regulatory Commitments

cc (email unless otherwise specified):

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ATTACHMENT 1

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REGULATORY COMMITMENTS

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The following table identifies those actions committed to by Entergy in this document. Any other statements in this submittal are provided for information purposes and are not considered to be regulatory commitments.

COMMITMENT	TYPE (Check one)		SCHEDULED COMPLETION DATE (If Required)
	ONE-TIME ACTION	CONTINUING COMPLIANCE	
Entergy will provide the response to RAI Letter #26 by March 2, 2009.	✓		3/2/09
Entergy will provide the response to RAI Letter #27 by March 2, 2009.	✓		3/2/09