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SUBJECT: PROPOSED REVIEW SCHEDULE REGARDING THE APPLICATION FROM
FLORIDA POWER CORPORATION FOR RENEWAL OF THE OPERATING
LICENSE FOR CRYSTAL RIVER UNIT 3 NUCLEAR GENERATING PLANT
(TAC NOS. ME0274 AND ME0278)

Dear Mr. Young:

By letter dated December 16, 2008, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) received the Florida Power Corporation application for renewal of operating license DPR-72 for Crystal River Unit 3 Nuclear Generating Plant (CR-3) in accordance with Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR) Section 54.17. Notice of receipt of this application was published in the *Federal Register* on February 4, 2009 (74 FR 6060). The purpose of this letter is to forward the NRC staff's safety and environmental review schedule for the application (Enclosure).

The NRC staff will follow established review procedures and the enclosed schedule to complete the reviews required by 10 CFR Parts 54 and 51.

We would like to emphasize that the review of your license renewal application will be very detailed and thorough. The staff will make every effort to meet the schedule; thus, your responses to the staff's request for additional information, as needed, must be complete and provided in a timely manner. We request that you inform the NRC staff as early as possible should potential delays arise in your support of the enclosed schedule.

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If you have any questions, please contact Project Managers, Robert Kuntz by telephone at (301) 415-3733 or by e-mail at robert.kuntz@nrc.gov or Elaine Keegan by telephone at (301) 415-8517 or by e-mail at elaine.keegan@nrc.gov, for the review of the CR-3 license renewal application.

Sincerely,

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Crystal River Unit 3 Nuclear Generating Plant
LICENSE RENEWAL APPLICATION REVIEW SCHEDULE

Milestones	Schedule	Actual
Receive License Renewal (LR) Application	12/18/08	12/18/08
FRN Published- Receipt & Availability	1/7/09	1/7/09
FRN Published – Acceptability and Opportunity for Hearing	3/9/09	3/9/09
FRN Published-Notice of Intent to Conduct Environmental Scoping	4/6/09	4/6/09
Public Meeting – LR Overview & Environmental Scoping	4/16/09	4/16/09
Deadline for Filing Hearing Requests and Petitions for Intervention	5/8/09	5/8/09
Environmental Scoping Period Ends	6/8/09	6/8/09
Audit - Scoping & Screening Methodology	6/22-6/26/09	
Aging Management Programs	7/13-7/17/09	
Audit – Environmental Audit	7/20-7/24/09	
Inspection – Regional	7/27-7/31/09 8/10-8/14/09	
Inspection – Final	TBD	
Public Exit Meeting - Regional Inspections	8/14/09	
Safety RAIs – Issued	8/21/09	
Environmental Requests for Additional Information (RAIs) Issued	9/1/09	
Safety RAI - Responses Received	9/21/09	
Environmental RAIs - Response Received	11/2/09	
Draft Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement (SEIS) Issued	4/1/10	
EPA FRN Published - Availability / Comment on draft SEIS	4/12/10	
Safety Evaluation Report (SER) with Open Items – Issued	4/28/10	
Public Meeting - Draft SEIS	5/20/10	
ACRS Subcommittee Meeting on SER with Open Items	6/3/10	
End of Draft SEIS Comment Period	6/25/10	
SER – Issued	9/24/10	
Final SEIS – Issued	10/29/10	
ACRS Full Committee Meeting on SER	11/4/10	
EPA FRN Published - Availability of Final SEIS	11/8/10	
Decision - Director NRR (if no hearing)	1/18/10	
Commission Decision (if hearing is granted)	9/19/11	

ENCLOSURE