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Response to Request for Additional Information Regarding the Environmental Review of the License Renewal Application for Duane Arnold Energy Center

- References:
1. Letter, Richard L. Anderson (FPL Energy Duane Arnold, LLC) to Document Control Desk (USNRC), "Duane Arnold Energy Center Application for Renewed Operating License (TSCR-109)," dated September 30, 2008, NG-08-0713 (ML082980481)
  2. Letter, Charles Eccleston (USNRC) to Richard L. Anderson (FPL Energy Duane Arnold, LLC), " Request For Additional Information Regarding The Review Of The License Renewal Application For Duane Arnold Energy Center (TAC No. MD9770), dated July 31, 2009 (ML092020520)

By Reference 1, FPL Energy Duane Arnold, LLC submitted an application for a renewed Operating License, including an Environmental Report. By Reference 2, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) Staff requested additional information regarding the Environmental Report.

The enclosures to this letter contain the NextEra Energy Duane Arnold, LLC, (f/k/a FPL Energy Duane Arnold, LLC) responses to the Staff's requests for additional information. Enclosure 1 provides an index of documents that are being transmitted by this letter. Enclosure 2 provides revised Environmental Report Tables 2.7-2 and 3.4-1 which incorporate updated information requested by the Staff.

This letter contains no new commitments or changes to existing commitments.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact Mr. Kenneth Putnam at (319) 851-7238.

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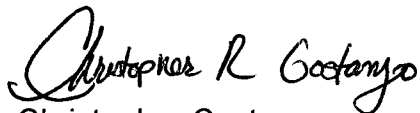
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I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on August 21, 2009.



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Enclosures: 1. Index of Documents Provided in Response to NRC Request  
2. Updated Environmental Report Tables 2.7-2 and 3.4-1

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