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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Attn: Document Control Desk  
Washington, DC 20555

**SUBJECT:** Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc.  
Pilgrim Nuclear Power Station  
Docket No: 50-293  
License No: DPR-35

Emergency Response Data System VPN Implementation

LETTER NUMBER: 2.11.055

Dear Sir or Madam:

Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc (ENO) is submitting this letter to provide notification that the scheduled change to the Pilgrim Station Emergency Response Data System (ERDS) link software was completed and implemented on August 31, 2011.

The ERDS System change involved a conversion from a dial-up modem-based system to a more reliable internet-based system using a plant information server and NRC-supplied virtual private network (VPN) appliance. The system has been tested and verified functional.

This letter contains no new commitments and no revisions to existing commitments.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact me at (508) 830-8227.

Sincerely,

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