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Dr. Stuart L. Santos, P.W.S.
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RE: Progress Energy Florida – Levy Nuclear Plant PA08-51C
Water Quality Certification

Dear Dr. Santos:

Progress Energy Florida, Inc's Levy Nuclear Plant was certified by the Governor and Cabinet on August 26, 2009 through written final order. This letter serves as notice that a petition for modification to the facility's certification was submitted to the Florida Department of Environmental Protection (Department) on April 30, 2010. The Department issued a Final Order Modifying Conditions of Certification on January 25, 2011. The Conditions of Certification are available at: <http://www.dep.state.fl.us/siting/certification.htm>

Pursuant to the Operating Agreement between the Department, the United States Army Corps of Engineers, and the Florida water management districts, this written final order granting certification under the Florida Electric Power Plant Siting Act, Section 403.501-.539, Florida Statutes, also constitutes certification of compliance with state water quality standards pursuant to Section 401 of the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C. 1341 and a finding of consistency with the Florida Coastal Management Program, as required by Section 307 of the Coastal Zone Management Act.

If additional information or assistance is required, please contact me at (850) 245-2002 or at mike.halpin@dep.state.fl.us

Sincerely,

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