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Vice President, Operations Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc. Palisades Nuclear Plant 27780 Blue Star Memorial Highway Covert, MI 49043-9530

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PALISADES NUCLEAR PLANT - WITHDRAWAL OF PROPOSED

ALTERNATIVE REQUEST FOR RELIEF FROM IMMEDIATE ASME CODE FLAW REPAIR OF SERVICE WATER SYSTEM MANUAL VALVE MV-SW136

(TAC NO. ME9856)

Dear Sir or Madam:

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Sincerely,

Mahesh Chawla, Project Manager Plant Licensing Branch III-1

Division of Operating Reactor Licensing Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

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