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From: Sent: To: Subject: Egan, Joseph [jegan1@entergy.com] 「アトーイパクリン Tuesday, May 08, 2012 5:18 PM Balsam, Briana RE: Pilgrim clarification question...

Briana,

We completed dredging the intake canal (a.k.a. channel, embayment) at the end of last year (2011). Let me check and get back to you regarding any future dredging plans we might have.

Thanks, Joe

From: Balsam, Briana [mailto:Briana.Balsam@nrc.gov] Sent: Tuesday, May 08, 2012 4:26 PM To: Egan, Joseph Subject: FW: Pilgrim clarification question...

Joe,

I got (yet another!) question from Julie Crocker at NMFS. The first part of her question is easy—the NRC does not require dredging in the Pilgrim operating license. For the second part, the NRC's SEIS states that Entergy has no plans to dredge the intake canal (Section 4.8., page 4-75, paragraph 2), but I wanted to check with you to make sure that this is still an accurate statement before sending Julie a response.

Thanks!

Briana

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From: Julie Crocker [<u>mailto:julie.crocker@noaa.gov]</u> Sent: Tuesday, May 08, 2012 2:20 PM To: Balsam, Briana Subject: Pilgrim clarification question...

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Hi Briana -

I am working on addressing edits to our consultation letter -- the issue of dredging has come up. Could you please clarify whether maintenance dredging of the intake canal or any other location is required as part of the



license and whether NRC considers dredging as part of the action under consideration?

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Thanks,

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