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September 1, 2016

EA-16-037

Mr. Thomas A. Vehec
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**SUBJECT: RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF VIOLATION DATED JUNE 24, 2016 – NEXTERA
ENERGY DUANE ARNOLD, LLC**

Dear Mr. Vehec:

The purpose of this letter is to acknowledge receipt of the letter from NextEra Energy Duane Arnold, LLC, dated July 21, 2016, in response to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's (NRC) letter dated June 24, 2016, transmitting a Notice of Violation.

In the July 21, 2016 letter, you identified the corrective actions that your company has taken or plans to take to address the violation. The NRC has reviewed the corrective actions, which appear to be adequate, and has no further questions at this time. The actions NextEra Energy Duane Arnold, LLC has taken, and plans to take, to address the violation may be examined during a future inspection.

Please feel free to contact Gene Bonano of my staff if you have any questions regarding this letter. Mr. Bonano can be reached at 630-829-9826.

In accordance with Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (CFR) 2.390 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter will be available electronically for public inspection in the

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Sincerely,

/RA/

Michael A. Kunowski, Chief
Materials Control, ISFSI, and
Decommissioning Branch
Division of Nuclear Materials Safety

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