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MEMORANDUM TO: Anthony R. Bowers III, Chief
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Division of Inspection and Regional Support
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

FROM: John McKirgan, Chief **/RA/**
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Division of Spent Fuel Management
Office of Nuclear Material Safety
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SUBJECT: TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE REQUEST FOR FIRSTENERGY
NUCLEAR OPERATING COMPANY NOTICE OF CANCELLATION OF
PARENT COMPANY GUARANTEE FOR BEAVER VALLEY POWER
STATION, DAVIS-BESSE NUCLEAR POWER STATION, AND PERRY
NUCLEAR POWER PLANT INDEPENDENT SPENT FUEL STORAGE
INSTALLATIONS (CAC NOS. L25186, L25187, L25188)

The Division of Spent Fuel Management (SFM), Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards (NMSS), requests technical assistance from the Division of Inspection and Regional Support (DIRS), Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation (NRR), for the completion of the following project.

PROJECT: Review of the replacement of parental guarantee request, submitted by FirstEnergy Nuclear Operating Company (FENOC), to determine whether the licensee has met the requirements in 10 CFR 72.30(e).

DOCKET NOS.: 72-1043 (Beaver Valley), 72-14 (Davis-Besse) and 72-69 (Perry).

CAC NOS.: L25186 (Beaver Valley), L25187 (Davis-Besse) and L25188 (Perry). The reviewer should charge time spent on the review equally between these CAC numbers.

REQUESTED ACTION: NMSS/SFM requests that NRR/DIRS review FENOC’s replacement of parental guarantee request, submitted on December 21, 2016 (ADAMS Accession No. ML16356A094), to determine whether FENOC meets the requirements of 10 CFR 72.30(e). In addition, to the extent it is referenced or relied upon in the above submittal, please also review the decommissioning funding plan that was submitted on December 9, 2015 (ADAMS Accession No. ML15343A3350), and on March 21, 2016 (ML16081A240). If additional information is needed to complete the review, prepare input for a request for additional information (RAI). Evaluate any additional information submitted, and participate in meetings and conference calls, as needed. Based on the results of your review, prepare a memorandum documenting your review, specifically, how the review was performed (including guidance used), the results of your review, and whether the licensee has met the requirements in 10 CFR 72.30(e), including the basis for the approval, if approved.

To facilitate this request, we ask that you respond by March 24, 2017, with the goal of providing the documentation of your review by May 12, 2017. Should any additional information be needed from the applicant to support your review, we ask that you transmit input for a RAI to us by April 10, 2017. The applicant will normally be allowed one month to provide a response. The NMSS/SFM project manager will keep your staff informed of any schedule changes, if a RAI is needed.

Please provide the information requested below and return a completed copy to the SFM Project Manager designated below.

Name of NRR/DIRS Assigned Reviewer: _____

NRR/DIRS Project Completion Date: _____

NRR/DIRS Branch Chief Signature: _____

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