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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission ATTN: Document Control Desk Washington, DC 20555

Subject: Revision of Commitment to Maintain Severe Accident Management

Guidelines

Palisades Nuclear Plant

Docket 05000255

**DPR-20** 

Reference: 1. Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc. letter to Nuclear Regulatory

Commission, "Commitment to Maintain Severe Accident Management

Guidelines," dated December 9, 2015 (PNP 2015-094)

## Dear Sir or Madam:

Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc. (ENO) submitted the above referenced letter to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission on December 9, 2015. This letter established two commitments related to maintaining Severe Accident Management Guidelines (SAMGs).

The first commitment has been completed. The due date for the second commitment is being extended. ENO announced the decision on December 8, 2016, to permanently shut down the Palisades Nuclear Plant (PNP) in October 2018. The SAMG project at PNP was discontinued at that time. On September 28, 2017, ENO announced that PNP would continue operation until the spring of 2022. Due to these events, the SAMG project is now approximately one year behind the original schedule. Therefore, it is necessary to extend the commitment due date by one year.

The revised SAMG commitment is listed in Attachment 1.

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Should you have any questions concerning the content of this letter, please contact Jeffery Hardy, at 269-764-2011.

Sincerely,

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Attachment 1: List of Regulatory Commitments Palisades Nuclear Plant

CC Administrator, Region III, USNRC Project Manager, Palisades, USNRC Resident Inspector, Palisades, USNRC

## Attachment 1 List of Regulatory Commitments Palisades Nuclear Plant

The following table identifies those actions committed to by Palisades Nuclear Plant in this document. Any other statements in this submittal are provided for information purposes and are not considered to be regulatory commitments.

	TYPE (Check one)		SCHEDULED
COMMITMENT	ONE-TIME ACTION	CONTINUING COMPLIANCE	COMPLETION DATE
ENO will update the site Severe Accident Management Guidelines (SAMGs) to future revisions of the Pressurized Water Reactor Owner's Group (PWROG) generic severe accident technical guidelines, and the SAMGs will be integrated with other emergency response guideline sets and symptom-based Emergency Operating Procedures, and validated, using the guidance in NEI 14-01, Emergency Response Procedures and Guidelines for Beyond Design Basis Events and Severe Accidents.		X	3/29/2020