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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555-0001

Duane Arnold Energy Center
Docket No. 50-331

Subject: Withdrawal of License Amendment Request TSCR-179 to Add Technical Specification 3.2.3, "Linear Heat Generation Rate"

Reference: NextEra Energy Duane Arnold, LLC, letter NG-17-0206, "License Amendment Request TSCR-179, Application to Add Technical Specification 3.2.3, 'Linear Heat Generation Rate'," December 19, 2017 (ML17353A928)

In the referenced letter, NextEra Energy Duane Arnold, LLC (NextEra) submitted a license amendment request to add Technical Specifications (TS) 3.2.3, "Linear Heat Generation Rate (LHGR)," and modify TS 1.1, "Definitions," TS 3.3.4.1, "End of Cycle Recirculation Pump Trip (EOC-RPT) Instrumentation," TS 3.4.1, "Recirculation Loops Operating," TS 3.7.7, "The Main Turbine Bypass System," and TS 5.6.5, "Core Operating Limits Report (COLR)." Based on business considerations, NextEra is withdrawing the license amendment request.

If you have any questions regarding this withdrawal, please contact J. Michael Davis, Licensing Manager, at 319-851-7032.

Sincerely,

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