UNITED STATES OF AMERICA NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

BEFORE THE COMMISSION

In the Matter of

EXELON GENERATION COMPANY, LLC

(Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station, Units 2 and 3)

Docket Nos. 50-277-SLR 50-278-SLR

NRC STAFF UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE NRC STAFF ANSWER TO BEYOND NUCLEAR MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE NEW CONTENTION AND BEYOND NUCLEAR MOTION TO REOPEN

Pursuant to 10 C.F.R. § 2.323(a), the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) staff (Staff) hereby moves for a three-day extension (until October 3, 2019) of time prescribed by 10 C.F.R. § 2.309(i)(1) for answers Beyond Nuclear, Inc.'s Motion for Leave to File New Contention¹ to coincide with a 10-day response time for answers to Beyond Nuclear, Inc.'s Motion to Reopen². Both Beyond Nuclear filings, dated September 3, 2019, and September 23, 2019, respectively, are pending before the Commission.

As grounds for this motion, the Staff notes that Beyond Nuclear states that the Motion to Reopen supplements its Motion for Leave to File New Contention.³ Because both motions provide arguments related to Beyond Nuclear's proposed new contention, the requested

¹ Beyond Nuclear Motion for Leave to File New Contention Based on Draft Supplement 10 to Generic Environmental Impact Statement for Subsequent License Renewal of Peach Bottom Operating License (Sept. 3, 2019, as corrected Sept. 5, 2019) (Motion for Leave to File New Contention).

² Beyond Nuclear Motion to Reopen the Record for Purposes of Considering and Admitting a New Contention Based on Draft Supplement 10 to Generic Environmental Impact Statement for Subsequent License Renewal of Peach Bottom Operating License and Request for Consideration of Some Elements of the Motion Out of Time (Sept. 23, 2019) (Motion to Reopen). *See* 10 C.F.R. § 2.323(c).

³ Motion to Reopen at 1.

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extension will allow the Staff to answer both motions in an integrated fashion. Also, the brief extension is in the interest of fairness due to the difference in Beyond Nuclear's filing dates, and will assist administrative efficiency.

The undersigned counsel is authorized to state that Counsel for Beyond Nuclear does not oppose the instant motion. Counsel for Exelon consents to this motion, provided that Exelon is granted the same extended filing deadline.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 10 C.F.R. § 2.305, I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing "NRC STAFF UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE NRC STAFF ANSWER TO BEYOND NUCLEAR MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE NEW CONTENTION AND BEYOND NUCLEAR MOTION TO REOPEN," dated September 24, 2019, have been filed through the Electronic Information Exchange, the NRC's E-Filing System, in the above-captioned proceeding, this 24th day of September 2019.

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