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Technical Specification Bases Change to 3/4.2.H, "Drywell Temperature"

The attached change to Technical Specification Section 3/4.2.H, "Drywell Temperature", Bases adds information concerning the term "nominal instrument elevation." This term appears on Tables 3.2.H and 4.2.H concerning the surveillance and calibration of the instruments used to monitor Pilgrim's drywell temperature.

The Bases change explains that the "nominal instrument elevation" information is provided to assist in locating the instruments when surveillance and maintenance activities are being performed. The Bases change does not alter the purpose or ability of the instruments to perform their design and Technical Specification function.

In accordance with 10CFR50.36(a), the Bases are not part of Technical Specifications. Therefore, Bases changes do not constitute an amendment to the operating license and prior NRC approval is not required. Please incorporate this Bases change into your copy of the Pilgrim Nuclear Power Station Technical Specifications.

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