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Director of Nuclear Reactor Regulation U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, D.C. 20555

Attention: Mr. Thomas A. Ippolito, Chief Operating Reactors Branch No. 2 Division of Licensing

Subject:

James A. FitzPatrick Nuclear Power Plant Docket No. 50-333 Proposed Changes to the Technical Specifications Related to Safety Review Committee Reorganization

Dear Sir:

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Enclosed for filing are three (3) signed originals and nineteen (19) copies of a document entitled, "Application for Amendment to Operating License", together with forty (40) copies of Attachments I and II thereto, comprising a statement of the proposed changes to the Technical Specifications and the associated Safety Evaluation.

This application seeks to an and Appendix A, Section 6.5.2, "Safety Review Committee (SRC)." The proposed changes make the Safety Review Committee (SRC) reportable to the Senior Vice President - Nuclear Generation. Previously, the SRC reported to the President and Chief Operating Officer. This realignment of responsibility unifies nuclear related technical matters under a single Nuclear Generation Department. Similar changes to Appendix B (Environmental Technical Specifications) Figure 5.2-2 on page 44 are also included. In addition, the titles of the SRC members have been changed to reflect the recent Authority headquarters office reorganization. The quorum for the SRC has been changed to agree with the Commission's standard technical specifications.

The proposed change is Attachment I to the Application for Amendment # 1200.00 to the Oper ting License enclosed with this letter. The Safety Evaluation for the proposed changes to the Technical Specifications is Attachment II to the Application for Amendment.

The Authority has classified this application for amendment to the operating license as Class II as it is administrative in nature. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$1,200 as the filing fee per 10CFR 170.22, which the Authority pays under protest pending a final determination of the legality of the fee schedule.

Very truly yours, J. P. Bayne Senior Vice President Nuclear Generation

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