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Mr. Terry D. Hobbs
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Crystal River Nuclear Plant (NA2C)
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SUBJECT: CRYSTAL RIVER UNIT 3 NUCLEAR GENERATING PLANT - ORDER
APPROVING TRANSFER OF LICENSED AUTHORITY FROM DUKE ENERGY
FLORIDA, LLC TO ADP CR3, LLC AND DRAFT CONFORMING
ADMINISTRATIVE LICENSE AMENDMENT (EPID L-2019-LLA-0135)

Dear Mr. Hobbs:

By letter dated June 14, 2019 (Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) Accession No. ML19170A209), as supplemented by letters dated January 17, 2020 (ADAMS Accession No. ML20017A216), and March 5, 2020 (ADAMS Accession No. ML20065K737), Duke Energy Florida, LLC (DEF) and ADP CR3, LLC (ADP CR3) (collectively, the Applicants) requested, pursuant to Section 184 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, and Sections 50.80, "Transfer of licenses," and 72.50, "Transfer of license," of Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR), that the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC, the Commission) consent to the transfer to ADP CR3 of DEF's licensed authority under Facility Operating License No. DPR-72 for the Crystal River Unit 3 Nuclear Generating Plant (CR-3) and the general license for the CR-3 independent spent fuel storage installation (ISFSI) to possess, maintain, and decommission CR-3 and its ISFSI. The Applicants also requested NRC approval of a draft conforming administrative license amendment pursuant to 10 CFR 50.80 and 10 CFR 50.90, "Application for amendment of license, construction permit, or early site permit."

Notice of the application was published in the *Federal Register* (FR) on October 11, 2019 (84 FR 54932). The supplemental letters dated January 17, 2020, and March 5, 2020, provided additional information that clarified the application, did not expand the scope of the application as originally noticed, and did not change the NRC staff's no significant hazards consideration determination.

The NRC staff has completed its review of the application. The Order in Enclosure 1 approves the proposed transfer, subject to the condition described therein. The Order also approves the draft conforming administrative license amendment in Enclosure 2, which will be issued and made effective at the time the transfer actions are completed. Enclosure 3 is the NRC staff's safety evaluation related to the application.

The Order has been forwarded to the Office of the Federal Register for publication.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.390 of the NRC's "Agency Rules of Practice and Procedure," a copy of this letter and its enclosures will be available electronically for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room or from the Publicly Available Records component of NRC's ADAMS. The ADAMS is accessible from the NRC Web site at <https://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>.

Should you have any questions regarding this action, please contact me at 301-415-3017 or via e-mail at John.Hickman@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John B. Hickman". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "J".

John B. Hickman, Project Manager
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Division of Decommissioning, Uranium Recovery
and Waste Programs
Office of Nuclear Material Safety
and Safeguards

Docket Nos.: 50-302 and 72-1035

Enclosures:

1. Order
2. Draft Conforming Amendment to DPR-72
3. Safety Evaluation

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