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Sincerely,

Original signed by:

James R. Miller, Chief Operating Reactors Branch #3 Division of Licensing

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It is the staff's opinion that your proposed changes constitute relaxations of your current license requirements for Point Beach Units 1 and 2 and, therefore, should be pursued via the formal license amendment process in accordance with 10 CFR 50.90 and other applicable regulations. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause you.

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