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August 30, 2021

EA-19-077

Mr. John Sauger
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SUBJECT: ORDER EXTENDING THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE APPROVAL OF THE

TRANSFER OF THE POSSESSION ONLY LICENSE FOR THE LA CROSSE BOILING WATER REACTOR FROM LACROSSESOLUTIONS, LLC TO DAIRYLAND POWER COOPERATIVE AND CONFORMING AMENDMENT

(EPID-L-2020-LLO-0004)

Dear Mr. Sauger:

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC, the Commission) is issuing the enclosed Order (Third Extension Order) in response to your request dated August 17, 2021 (Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) Accession No. ML21230A330), on behalf of LaCrosse *Solutions*, LLC for the third extension of the effectiveness of an NRC Order dated September 24, 2019 (Transfer Order) (ADAMS Package Accession No. ML19008A393).

The Transfer Order approved the transfer of Possession Only License No. DPR-45, held by LaCrosse Solutions, LLC, for the La Crosse Boiling Water Reactor (LACBWR) to Dairyland Power Cooperative and approved a conforming license amendment in accordance with Section 50.80, "Transfer of licenses," and Section 50.90, "Application for amendment of license, construction permit, or early site permit," of Title 10 of the Code of Federal Regulations (10 CFR). The Transfer Order was intended to be implemented upon completion of decommissioning activities at the LACBWR site, and was effective for 1 year from issuance.

By letter dated June 24, 2020 (ADAMS Accession No. ML20188A228), LaCrosse Solutions, LLC submitted a request to extend the effectiveness of the Transfer Order by six months. By Order dated September 1, 2020 (First Extension Order) (ADAMS Package Accession No. ML20195A846), the Commission extended the Transfer Order's expiration date to March 24, 2021. Subsequently, by letter dated February 2, 2021 (ADAMS Accession No. ML21036A055), LaCrosse Solutions, LLC submitted a request to extend the effectiveness of the Transfer Order by an additional six months. By Order dated March 9, 2021 (Second Extension Order) (ADAMS Package Accession No. ML21050A299), the Commission extended the Transfer Order's expiration date to September 24, 2021.

The NRC staff has considered the information presented in your August 17, 2021, request and determined that you have shown good cause for extending the effectiveness of the Transfer Order by an additional twelve months from September 24, 2021, to September 24, 2022. The

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enclosed Third Extension Order approves this extension. The previously approved conforming license amendment will be issued and made effective when the transfer is complete. The NRC Safety Evaluation enclosed with the September 24, 2019, Transfer Order remains valid. The Third Extension Order is being forwarded to the Office of the Federal Register for publication.

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

Should you have any questions concerning this action, please contact me at 301-415-3178 or via e-mail at marlayna.doell@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,

Signed by Doell, Marlayna on 08/30/21

Marlayna V. Doell, Project Manager Reactor Decommissioning Branch Division of Decommissioning, Uranium Recovery, and Waste Programs Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards

Docket Nos.: 50-409 and 72-046

License No.: DPR-45

Enclosure:

Order Extending the Effectiveness of the Approval of the Transfer of License and Conforming Amendment

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