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SUBJECT: U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION'S ANALYSIS OF ENTERGY
NUCLEAR OPERATIONS, INC'S DECOMMISSIONING FUNDING STATUS
REPORT FOR INDIAN POINT NUCLEAR GENERATING STATION UNIT NO. 1,
DOCKET NO. 50-003

Dear Ms. Fleming:

By letter dated March 25, 2021, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) received the decommissioning funding status (DFS) report (Agencywide Documents Access and Management System [ADAMS] Accession No. [ML21084A811](#)) for Indian Point Nuclear Generating Station Unit No. 1 (Indian Point 1), submitted by Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc. (ENOI), prior owner of Indian Point 1.

The NRC has reviewed and analyzed the site-specific decommissioning cost estimate, as required in Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR) 50.82(a)(4)(i), and the amount(s) stated within the licensee's decommissioning trust fund, as of December 31, 2020, for the above plants, as well as earnings assumptions. Based on the reported decommissioning trust balance, together with earnings credits specified under NRC regulations, the NRC has determined that as of December 31, 2020, ENOI is providing a total amount of decommissioning funding assurance in the amount of \$631,250,000 for Indian Point 1.

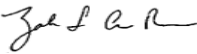
This letter confirms the correspondence, described above, regarding DFS reports for permanently shut down power reactors as required under 10 CFR 50.82(a)(v) - (vi). As of the date of this letter, considering the available information, the NRC has determined that ENOI (and therefore, Holtec Decommissioning International per license transfer¹), has satisfied the decommissioning funding assurance requirements of 10 CFR 50.82, "Termination of License," for Indian Point 1 on December 31, 2021. A summary report completed by NRC staff reflecting decommissioning power reactor DFSs was issued on January 3, 2022 (ADAMS Accession No. [ML21285A219](#)).

¹ On May 28, 2021 (ADAMS Accession No. [ML21126A008](#)), NRC staff approved the transfer of control of Provisional License No. DPR-5 for Indian Point Nuclear Generating Station, Unit No. 1 to Holtec International (Holtec) subsidiary, Holtec Indian Point 2, LLC (Holtec IP2). The Order also approved the transfer of ENOI's authority to conduct licensed activities at the Indian Point Energy Center (which also includes Indian Point 2 and 3) to Holtec Decommissioning International, LLC (HDI).

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.390 of the NRC's "Agency Rules of Practice and Procedure," 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>.

If you have any questions in this matter, please call me at (301) 415-3808 or e-mail me at Zahira.CruzPerez@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,

 Signed by Cruz-Perez, Zahira
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