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Marlayna,

Due to lack of resources, it would not be possible to submit a docketed confirmatory response to the new path for the requested exemption from 10 CFR 26.3(a) until early to middle next week. However, I am providing this response on behalf of Holtec Palisades in hopes that it will be deemed acceptable:

Based on a conversation with the NRC staff on June 12, 2026, Holtec Palisades understands that the request for exemption from 10 CFR 26.3(a) submitted on May 27, 2026 (ML26147A163), will now be reviewed as a tailored exemption from 10 CFR 26.205(d)(3) and (d)(7) rather than an exemption from the 10 CFR Part 26, Subpart I requirements. Holtec Palisades will continue to comply with the remaining provisions and requirements of 10 CFR Part 26 for the duration of the exemption period. Furthermore, Holtec Palisades confirms that a tailored exemption from 10 CFR 26.205(d)(3) and (d)(7) meets the intent of the original exemption request, and supports the continued implementation of the Palisades Fatigue Management Program. This change in review does not affect the applicability to categories of covered individuals described in 10 CFR 26.4(a), or the proposed end-date, from the original exemption request.

If a docketed response becomes required as a condition of approval to the exemption request, please let me know at your earliest convenience and we will adjust accordingly.

Thank you and have a great weekend!

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