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Secretary
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington D.C. 20555-0001

Attention: Rulemakings and Adjudications Staff

Subject: [Docket No. PRM-50-74] Nuclear Energy Institute; Receipt of Petition for Rulemaking
(66 Fed. Reg. 51884 (October 11, 2001))

Carolina Power & Light (CP&L) and Florida Power Corporation (FPC), subsidiaries of Progress Energy Company, are endorsing the subject industry petition provided by NEI on September 6, 2001. We encourage the NRC to work with NEI towards the optional adoption of the latest consensus standard on decay heat rates, ANS/ANSI-5.1-1994, and subsequent NRC-endorsed revisions to the standard.

Please contact Robert Hill at (919) 546-6967 if we can be of assistance.

Sincerely,

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