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Subject: Notification of Closing of Corporate Merger of Duke Energy Corporation
and Progress Energy, Inc.

Reference:

1. NRC Letter, Orders Approving Indirect Transfer of Control of Licenses of Brunswick Steam Electric Plant, Units 1 and 2; Shearon Harris Nuclear Power Plant, Unit 1; H. B. Robinson Steam Electric Plant, Unit 2; H. B. Robinson Steam Electric Plant Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation; and Crystal River Unit 3 Nuclear Generating Plant (TAC Nos. ME5970, ME5971, ME5972, ME5973, ME5974, and L24550), dated December 2, 2011, (Accession Number ML11255A055)
2. Letter from Carolina Power & Light Company (CP&L) and Florida Power Corporation (FPC) to the Director of the Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission in re: Notification of closing of corporate merger of Duke Energy Corporation and Progress Energy, Inc., dated July 2, 2012

Dear Mr. Leeds:

In a letter dated July 2, 2012, Carolina Power & Light Company and Florida Power Corporation provided notification to the Director of the Office of Nuclear Regulation of the closing of the corporate merger between Progress Energy, Inc. and Duke Energy Corporation. Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, on behalf of Duke Energy Corporation, hereby acknowledges the submittal of this letter and that all necessary regulatory approvals have been obtained.

There are no regulatory commitments contained in this letter.

If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Lara S. Nichols at 704-382-9960 or Lara.Nichols@duke-energy.com or Chris Nolan at 704-382-7426 or Chris.Nolan@duke-energy.com

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