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10 CFR 50.54(f)

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SUBJECT:

Beaver Valley Power Station, Unit Nos. 1 and 2
Docket No. 50-334, License No. DPR-66
Docket No. 50-412, License No. NPF-73
Davis-Besse Nuclear Power Station
Docket No. 50-346, License No. NPF-3
Perry Nuclear Power Plant
Docket No. 50-440, License No. NPF-58
FENOC Response to NRC Request for Information Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.54(f)
Regarding the Seismic Aspects of Recommendation 2.3 of the Near-Term Task Force
Review of Insights from the Fukushima Dai-ichi Accident

On March 12, 2012, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) issued a letter titled, "Request for Information Pursuant to Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* 50.54(f) Regarding Recommendations 2.1, 2.3, and 9.3 of the Near-Term Task Force Review of Insights from the Fukushima Dai-ichi Accident," to all power reactor licensees and holders of construction permits in active or deferred status. Enclosure 3 of the 10 CFR 50.54(f) letter contains specific Requested Actions, Requested Information, and Required Responses associated with Recommendation 2.3 for Seismic Walkdowns. This letter provides FENOC's 120 day response to the 10 CFR 50.54(f) letter for Beaver Valley Power Station, Unit Nos. 1 and 2 (BVPS), Davis-Besse Nuclear Power Station (DBNPS), and Perry Nuclear Power Plant (PNPP).

For seismic Recommendation 2.3 (walkdowns), Enclosure 3 of the 10 CFR 50.54(f) letter states that each licensee will confirm that it intends to use the NRC-endorsed seismic walkdown procedure or provide a description of the process it will use.

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FENOC confirms that it intends to use the seismic walkdown procedure (EPRI Report 1025286, *Seismic Walkdown Guidance: For Resolution of Fukushima Near-Term Task Force Recommendation 2.3: Seismic*) endorsed by the NRC as the basis for the seismic walkdowns at BVPS, DBNPS, and PNPP.

This letter contains no new regulatory commitments. Should you have any questions concerning the content of this letter, please contact Mr. Phil H. Lashley, Supervisor – Fleet Licensing, at 330-315-6808.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on July 10, 2012.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Peter P. Sena, III". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the last name "Sena" being the most prominent part.

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