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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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SUBJECT: Entergy's Response to NRC Request for Information Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.54(f) Regarding the Seismic Aspects of Recommendation 2.1 of the Near-Term Task Force Review of Insights from the Fukushima Dai-ichi Accident
Waterford Steam Electric Station, Unit 3 (Waterford 3)
Docket No. 50-382
License No. NPF-38

REFERENCES:

1. NRC letter to Entergy, *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*, dated March 12, 2012
(ADAMS Accession No. ML12053A340)
2. Federal Register, Vol. 78, No. 38, Tuesday, February 26, 2013, pp. 13097-13099
3. NEI Letter to NRC, *Proposed Path Forward for NTTF Recommendation 2.1: Seismic Reevaluations*, dated April 9, 2013
(ADAMS Accession No. ML13101A379)

Dear Sir or Madam:

On March 12, 2012, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) issued Reference 1 to all power reactor licensees and holders of construction permits in active or deferred status. Enclosure 1 of Reference 1 contains specific Requested Actions, Requested Information, and Required Responses associated with Recommendation 2.1, Seismic Evaluations. Reference 1 requires a "60-day response" in which each addressee must submit: (1) its intent to follow the developed guidance, or (2) an alternative approach including acceptance criteria. In accordance with References 1 and 2, and 10 CFR 50.4(a), the 60-day responses are due to the NRC by April 29, 2013.

Entergy Operations, Inc. (Entergy) intends to respond to Enclosure 1 of Reference 1 by following the approach described in Reference 3 on the schedule provided in Reference 3.

This letter contains new regulatory commitments which are identified in Attachment 1.

Should you have any questions concerning the content of this letter, please contact Chester Fugate, Licensing Manager, at (504) 739-6685.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on April 29, 2013.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "DJ/WH", with a stylized, cursive-like flourish.

DJ/WH

Attachment: 1. List of Regulatory Commitments

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ATTACHMENT 1

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LIST OF REGULATORY COMMITMENTS

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The following table identifies those actions committed to by Entergy in this document. Any other statements in this submittal are provided for information purposes and are not considered to be regulatory commitments.

COMMITMENT	TYPE (Check One)		SCHEDULED COMPLETION DATE (If Required)
	ONE- TIME ACTION	CONTINUING COMPLIANCE	
Entergy Operations Inc. (Entergy) intends to respond to Enclosure 1 of NRC letter to Entergy, <i>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</i> , dated March 12, 2012, by following the approach described in Nuclear Energy Institute (NEI) letter to NRC, <i>Proposed Path Forward for NTTF Recommendation 2.1: Seismic Reevaluations</i> , dated April 9, 2013.	X		On the schedule specified in the referenced NEI letter dated April 9, 2013.