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Mr. Michael Hall, Executive Director  
Nature Coast EMS  
3380 East Gulf to Lake Highway  
Inverness, Florida 34453

Subject: Levy Nuclear Plant  
Emergency Support Certification

Dear Mr. Hall:

As previously indicated in public announcements and meetings, Progress Energy Florida, Inc. is developing a Combined Operating License Application (COLA) for submittal to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), in accordance with the requirements of 10 CFR 52 for the Levy Nuclear Plant site near Inglis, Florida. The COLA outlines Progress Energy's plans for construction and operation of two proposed power generating units at the new Levy site.

A key part of the COLA is the development of emergency plans which provide information sufficient to demonstrate compliance with pertinent regulatory requirements. These plans will take credit, to the extent practical, for the site, federal, state, and local plans already in place for other nuclear generating units in Florida.

These plans include extending Progress Energy's existing agreement with Nature Coast EMS for the Crystal River Unit 3 Plant to include the proposed Levy Nuclear Plant. Progress Energy intends to execute a formal letter of agreement with Nature Coast EMS governing support for radiological emergencies at the Levy Nuclear Plant. Terms that will be addressed in the formal letter of agreement will include:

1. Nature Coast EMS will provide emergency ambulance service for the transportation of injured and contaminated individuals to Citrus Memorial Hospital or Seven Rivers Regional Medical Center, or other location as determined by Progress Energy. In the event the contaminated individual is transported by Nature Coast EMS, a member of the Levy Nuclear Plant radiation protection organization may accompany the patient to the medical facility.
2. Progress Energy will be responsible for contamination control and decontamination of the Nature Coast EMS vehicles and equipment if contamination occurs as a result of transporting a contaminated individual.

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3. Nature Coast EMS personnel will be available on an annual basis for training sessions provided by Progress Energy that will include topics in radiation safety and care of contaminated/irradiated patients.
4. Nature Coast EMS personnel will participate, upon request, in medical drills or full exercises that will be conducted at the Levy Nuclear Plant.

This letter of intent shall remain in effect until superseded by a formal letter of agreement and may not be terminated by either party without 90 days written notice.

I am happy to answer any questions you may have and would appreciate your signature below if these terms are acceptable.

ACCEPTED BY:



Daniel L. Roderick  
VP - Nuclear Projects & Construction  
Progress Energy Florida, Inc.

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Date



Michael Hall  
Executive Director  
Nature Coast EMS

2/6/08

Date

cc: Citrus County Emergency Management