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**UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555-0001**

May 3, 2016

Mr. Peter P. Sena, III
President
PSEG Nuclear LLC – N09
P.O. Box 236
Hancocks Bridge, NJ 08038

**SUBJECT: HOPE CREEK GENERATING STATION AND SALEM NUCLEAR
GENERATING STATION, UNIT NOS. 1 AND 2 - REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL
INFORMATION REGARDING REVIEW OF SECURITY PLAN, REVISION 17,
CHANGES (CAC NOS. MF7010, MF7011, AND MF7012)**

Dear Mr. Sena:

By letter dated September 21, 2015,¹ PSEG Nuclear LLC (the licensee) submitted Revision 17 of the Security Plan, Training and Qualification Plan, and Safeguards Contingency Plan and Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation Security Program, for the Hope Creek Generating Station and Salem Nuclear Generating Station, Units 1 and 2, pursuant to the requirements of Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR) Section 50.54(p)(2).

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) staff is currently reviewing the submittal to ensure compliance with 10 CFR 50.54(p)(2) and has determined that additional information is needed to complete its review of the submittal. The specific questions are found in the enclosed request for additional information (RAI). The draft RAI was sent by electronic transmission to Mr. Paul Duke of your staff on April 19, 2016. The draft RAI was sent to ensure that the request was understandable, the regulatory basis was clear, and to determine if the information was previously docketed. On April 22, 2016, the NRC conducted a conference call with the licensee to clarify the RAI questions. On April 26, 2016, Mr. Duke indicated that the licensee will submit a response to this request within 45 days of the date of this letter.

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If you have any questions, please contact me at 301-415-4037 or Thomas.Wengert@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Thomas J. Wengert". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Thomas" and last name "Wengert" clearly distinguishable.

Thomas J. Wengert, Senior Project Manager
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Division of Operating Reactor Licensing
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