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H. B. ROBINSON STEAM ELECTRIC PLANT, UNIT NO. 2  
DOCKET NO. 50-261 / RENEWED LICENSE NO. DPR-23

**REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL OF LICENSE AMENDMENT REQUEST TO CHANGE  
TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION SURVEILLANCE REQUIREMENT FREQUENCIES  
TO SUPPORT 24-MONTH FUEL CYCLES**

**REFERENCES:**

1. Duke Energy letter, "Request For Technical Specification Change To Change Technical Specification Surveillance Requirement Frequencies to Support 24-Month Fuel Cycles," dated September 16, 2016

Dear Sir/Madam:

Duke Energy Progress, LLC (DEP) submitted a license amendment request, dated September 16, 2016, to change surveillance requirement frequencies to support a 24-month fuel cycle (Reference 1). During the NRC acceptance review, information was identified that is needed to allow the NRC staff to complete the review. As discussed during a telecom with NRC staff on November 4, 2016, DEP hereby requests withdrawal of the license amendment request. DEP plans to address the information request and re-submit the license amendment request during the first quarter of 2017.

This letter contains no new regulatory commitments.

Please address any questions regarding this matter to Mr. Tony Pilo, Manager – Nuclear Regulatory Affairs at (843) 857-1409.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "R. Michael Glover".

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cc: Regional Administrator, NRC Region II  
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