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SUBJECT: PILGRIM NUCLEAR POWER STATION - ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENT  
NO. 252 TO RENEWED FACILITY LICENSE RE: REMOVE CYBER SECURITY  
PLAN LICENSE CONDITION - CORRECTION OF TYPOGRAPHICAL ERROR  
(EPID L-2019-LLA-0098)

Dear Ms. Cowan:

On January 2, 2020, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (Commission) issued Amendment No. 252 to Renewed Facility License No. DPR-35 for the Pilgrim Nuclear Power Station (Pilgrim), in response to Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc.'s application dated April 25, 2019.

The amendment removes the Pilgrim Cyber Security Plan from Pilgrim License Condition 3.G. The amendment was provided as enclosure 1 to the January 2, 2020, letter (Agencywide Document Access and Management System (ADAMS) Accession No. ML19276C420). The amendment is effective 10 months following the permanent cessation of power operations and shall be implemented within 30 days of the effective date. However, a typographical error was identified on page 3 of enclosure 1. Specifically, Section B, Technical Specifications on page 3 of the License should be Amendment No. 252 and not Amendment 250. The License was changed as follows:

B. Technical Specifications

The Technical Specifications contained in Appendix A, as revised through Amendment No. 252, are hereby incorporated in the renewed license. The licensee shall maintain the facility in accordance with the Permanently Defueled Technical Specifications.

It can be demonstrated that the error was introduced inadvertently in license amendment No 252 and that the erroneous change was not addressed in the notice to the public nor reviewed by the staff. Under these circumstances, the change that introduced the typographical error was not a proper amendment to the license because it was neither addressed in the notice nor reviewed, and correction of the typographical error is not a "change" to the Technical Specifications. The change introduced by the error was in fact improperly made. Accordingly, consistent with guidance (ADAMS Accession No. ML103260096) and Staff Requirements Memorandum dated December 17, 1996 (ADAMS Accession No. ML003754054), the typographical error is corrected by this letter, instead of an amendment to the license.

A copy of the enclosure 1 of the January 2, 2020, letter with the corrected attachment is enclosed.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

3/24/2020

**X** Amy M. Snyder

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Signed by: Amy M. Snyder

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Docket No. 50-293

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PILGRIM NUCLEAR POWER STATION

DOCKET NO. 50-293

AMENDMENT TO RENEWED FACILITY LICENSE

Amendment No. 252  
Renewed License No. DPR-35

1. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that:
  - A. The application for amendment filed by Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc.,<sup>1</sup> dated April 25, 2019, complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's rules and regulations set forth in 10 CFR Chapter I;
  - B. The facility will be maintained in conformity with the application, the provisions of the Act, and the rules and regulations of the Commission;
  - C. There is reasonable assurance (i) that the activities authorized by this amendment can be conducted without endangering the health and safety of the public, and (ii) that such activities will be conducted in compliance with the Commission's regulations;
  - D. The issuance of this license amendment will not be inimical to the common defense and security or to the health and safety of the public; and
  - E. The issuance of this amendment is in accordance with 10 CFR Part 51 of the Commission's regulations and all applicable requirements have been satisfied.

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<sup>1</sup> Effective August 26, 2019, Pilgrim Renewed Facility License No. DPR-35, and the general license for the Pilgrim Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation was transferred from Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc. (ENOI) to Holtec Pilgrim, LLC as the licensed owner and to Holtec Decommissioning International, LLC (HDI) as the licensed operator for decommissioning. In a letter dated August 22, 2019, HDI requested the NRC to continue all ongoing regulatory actions and reviews currently underway for Pilgrim. HDI has assumed responsibility for the continuation of these regulatory actions and reviews (Agencywide Documents Access and Management System Accession No. ML19234A357).

2. Accordingly, Renewed Facility License No. DPR-35 is amended by changes as indicated in the attachment to this license amendment, and paragraph 3.G. of Renewed Facility License No. DPR-35 is hereby amended to remove the second paragraph that reads:

The licensee shall fully implement and maintain in effect all provisions of the Commission-approved cyber security plan (CSP), including changes made pursuant to the authority of 10 CFR 50.90 and 10 CFR 50.54(p). The licensee's CSP was approved by License Amendment No. 236, as supplemented by changes approved by Amendment Nos. 238, 241, 244, and 247.

3. This license amendment is effective 10 months following the permanent cessation of power operations and shall be implemented within 30 days of the effective date.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

Attachment:  
Changes to the Renewed Facility  
License No. DPR-35

Date of Issuance: January 2, 2020

ATTACHMENT TO LICENSE AMENDMENT NO. 252

PILGRIM NUCLEAR POWER STATION

RENEWED FACILITY LICENSE NO. DPR-35

DOCKET NO. 50-293

Replace the following page of the Renewed Facility License with the attached revised page. The revised page is identified by amendment number and contains a vertical line indicating the area of change.

Renewed Facility License No. DPR-35

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provisions of the Act and to the rules, regulations, and orders of the Commission now or hereafter in effect; and is subject to the additional conditions specified below:

A. DELETED

B. Technical Specifications

The Technical Specifications contained in Appendix A, as revised through Amendment No. 25~~2~~, are hereby incorporated in the renewed license. The licensee shall maintain the facility in accordance with the Permanently Defueled Technical Specifications.

C. Records

HDI shall keep facility records in accordance with the requirements of the Technical Specifications.

D. DELETED

E. DELETED

F. DELETED

G. Physical Protection

The licensee shall fully implement and maintain in effect all provisions of the Commission-approved physical security, training and qualification, and safeguards contingency plans including amendments made pursuant to provisions of the Miscellaneous Amendments and Search Requirements revisions to 10 CFR 73.55 (51 FR 27817 and 27822) and to the authority of 10 CFR 50.90 and 10 CFR 50.54(p). The combined set of plans, which contain Safeguards Information protected under 10 CFR 73.21, is entitled: "Pilgrim Nuclear Power Station Physical Security, Training and Qualification, and Safeguards Contingency Plan, Revision 0" submitted by letter dated October 13, 2004, as supplemented by letter dated May 15, 2006.