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Subject: Relocation of Pilgrim's Emergency Preparedness Media Center

Pilgrim herein informs the NRC of the relocation of the Pilgrim Nuclear Power Station Media Center from the Prudential Building (Boston, MA) to the Industrial Park Training Center (Plymouth, MA).

The PNPS Media Center is currently located on the sixteenth floor of the Prudential Building under lease to the Boston Edison Company. With the sale of Pilgrim last year by Boston Edison, extended use of the Prudential facility was confirmed for the period up to but ending July 2000. An in-depth review of potential locations suitable for relocation of the Media Center was undertaken, taking into consideration immediate and long-term availability, layout, capabilities/infrastructure and distance from Pilgrim.

Following discussions with the Massachusetts Emergency Management Agency and the Massachusetts Department of Public Health, this review resulted in the designation of the Entergy-leased facility located in Plymouth, Massachusetts as the Media Center for Pilgrim. This facility, Entergy Nuclear's Industrial Park Training Center (IPTC), 71 Armstrong Road, Plymouth, MA 02360, is located just off of Exit 7 on Route 3, and is approximately six and one half miles from Pilgrim. This facility affords faster activation than the Boston-based facility, permits near-site media representation, and has a generous amount of space, suitable equipment, and facilities to support Media Center operations. Pilgrim also intends to maintain an alternate Media Center at the offices of Duke Engineering and Services, Solomon Pond Park, 400 Donald Lynch Boulevard, Marlborough, MA 01752, located approximately 65 miles from Pilgrim.

Pilgrim Station will assume continued responsibility for maintenance of the facilities, equipment and operation of the Media Center and Alternate Media Center. Pilgrim Station procedures will be revised to incorporate the new Media Center location and to provide for the transfer of Media Center operations to the Marlborough location if radiological or other conditions necessitate such relocation. Pilgrim will also continue its working relationship with the State and local emergency management organizations to ensure timely revisions of offsite plans and emergency telephone directories to reflect this change. Should you require further information on this relocation, please contact Ms. Karen Sullivan at (508)830-8906 or Mr. P. M. Kahler at (508)830-7939.

Sincerely,

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