

**Certification by PSEG Nuclear, LLC  
of Hope Creek Nuclear Unit Closure**

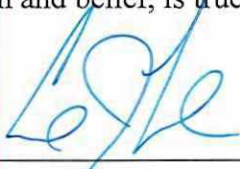
I, Carl J. Fricker, having first been duly sworn under oath, state:

- (i) I am the Vice President – Power Operations Support of PSEG Power LLC, (“PSEG Power”) the immediate parent of PSEG Nuclear LLC (“PSEG Nuclear”), and I have been duly authorized by the Board of Directors of PSEG Nuclear, pursuant to the resolution attached hereto as Attachment A, to make the statements set forth below on behalf of PSEG Nuclear;
- (ii) PSEG Nuclear is a wholly owned indirect subsidiary of Public Service Enterprise Group (“Enterprise”);
- (iii) PSEG Nuclear is the operator and owner of the Hope Creek nuclear plant located in Lower Alloways Creek Township, Salem County, New Jersey;
- (iv) PSEG Nuclear has the sole and exclusive authority to make decisions regarding the retirement of the Hope Creek nuclear unit;
- (v) The Board of Directors of Enterprise has concurred, as set forth in the resolution set forth in Attachment B hereto, and the Board of Directors of PSEG Power has concurred as set forth in Attachment C hereto, in the recommendations of PSEG Nuclear that it should submit an application for the receipt of Zero Emission Certificates (“ZEC”) for Hope Creek and that, as part of such application, certify that PSEG Nuclear will cease operations of Hope Creek within three years unless the unit experiences a material financial change, and has authorized PSEG Nuclear to take the steps necessary to make such certification and to undertake such other acts as necessary in furtherance of the ZEC application;
- (vi) On behalf PSEG Nuclear, I hereby certify that unless Hope Creek experiences a material financial change, PSEG Nuclear will cease operations of Hope Creek within three years and that the steps needed to cease the operation of the Hope Creek nuclear unit are set forth in Attachment D hereto;
- (vii) This certification is being supplied in support of the application of PSEG Nuclear for the receipt of ZECs for Hope Creek and is intended to satisfy the requirements of N.J.S.A. 48:3-87.5(a) on behalf of PSEG Nuclear;
- (viii) This concludes the Certification by PSEG Nuclear of Hope Creek Nuclear Unit Closure.

VERIFICATION

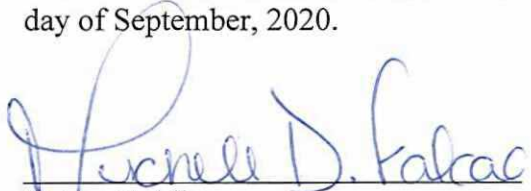
Essex County )  
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New Jersey  )       ss:

I, the undersigned, being duly sworn, depose, say and certify that the foregoing "Certification by PSEG Nuclear, LLC of Hope Creek Nuclear Unit Closure," including all attachments thereto, to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, is true, correct, and accurate.

By: 

Name: Carl J. Fricker  
Title: Vice President – Power  
Operations Support  
Company: PSEG Power LLC, on behalf  
of PSEG Nuclear, LLC

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30<sup>th</sup>  
day of September, 2020.

  
Notary Public

