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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Attn: Document Control Desk Washington, DC 20555-0001

SUBJECT: 10 CFR Part 21, Final report regarding the evaluation status of mechanical splices supplied to AP1000 Projects, Vogtle Unit 3 and V. C. Summer Unit 2.

REFERENCE:

- 1) Letter from Kevin Walsh to U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Document Control Desk, L-SMS-USNRC-000001, dated February 8, 2013.
- 2) Letter from Kevin Walsh to U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Document Control Desk, L-CBI-USNRC-000003, dated May 29, 2013.
- 3) Letter from Kevin Walsh to U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Document Control Desk, L-CBILC-USNRC-000012, dated July 24, 2013.
- 4) Letter from Kevin Walsh to U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Document Control Desk, L-CBILC-USNRC-000018, dated September 24, 2013.
- 5) Letter from Kevin Walsh to U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Document Control Desk, L-CBILC-USNRC-000025, dated November 24, 2013

CBI Lake Charles (CBI-LC) provided an interim report (reference 3) to the NRC regarding an ongoing 10CFR Part 21 evaluation that could not be completed within 60-days from the discovery of the deviation. This deviation is related to Mechanical Splices delivered to AP1000 Projects, Vogtle Unit 3 and V. C. Summer Unit 2.

CBI-LC executed the test plan and submitted the results to the Design Authority for evaluation. The deviation was dispositioned "Use-As-Is". During the review of the testing by the manufacturer, there were some minor administrative errors identified. The errors were corrected and approval was received by the design authority. Therefore, a substantial safety hazard does not exist and this condition is not reportable. This letter is an interim report in accordance with §21.21(a)(2) and final closure of the Part 21 evaluation.

Sincerely,

Kévin Walsh Vice President, CB&I LC cc: Regional Administrator, USNRC, Region II

