

June 15, 2000

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Dear Mr. Kassawara:

This letter is to acknowledge the receipt of the following 13 EPRI reports, sent to Dr. Nathan Siu of our staff on November 9, 1999.

- NP-1767, "A Study of Damageability of Electrical Cables in Simulated Fire Environments," 1981.
- NP-3179, "Nuclear Power Plant Fire Loss Data," 1983.
- NP-6476, "EPRI Workshop on Fire Protection in Nuclear Power Plants," 1989.
- NP-6343-L, "Fire Test Summaries Database," 1989.
- NP-6989, "Survey of Earthquake-Induced Fires in Electric Power and Industrial Facilities," 1990.
- TR-100443, "Methods of Quantitative Fire Hazard Analysis," 1992.
- NSAC-181, "Fire Probabilistic Risk Assessments (PRA) Requantification Studies," 1993.
- NSAC-204L, "Fire Barrier Incidents at U.S. Nuclear Power Plants," 1994.
- NSAC-179L, "Automatic and Manual Suppression Reliability Data for Nuclear Power Plant Fire Risk Analyses," 1994.
- TR-105929, "Fire Ignition Frequency Model at Shutdown for U.S. Nuclear Power Plants," 1995.
- TR-108799, "Planning and Risk-Informed/Performance-Based Fire Protection at Nuclear Power Plants," 1997.
- TR-108875, "Fire Modeling Code Comparisons," 1998.
- NP-7253, "Effects of Fire Suppressants on Electrical Components in Nuclear Power Plants," 1991.

As per the Addendum "Treatment of NRC Proprietary and EPRI Commercial Information" (signed by Ashok Thadani and Robin Jones on May 14, 1999) to the Memorandum of Understanding Between NRC and EPRI on Cooperative Nuclear Safety Research (signed original transmitted to Malcolm Knapp on November 25, 1997), we will follow the directions on further dissemination included in your November 9, 1999, transmittal letter. In particular, we understand that the reports: are for NRC's internal use, are provided for information purposes, and should not be provided to any person outside the NRC without prior written permission from EPRI.

Robert P. Kassawara

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Please be advised that the transmittal letter and the affidavit accompanying the reports incorrectly refer to 10 CFR § 2.790, i.e., the reports were not submitted for purposes that come within the scope of 10 CFR § 2.790(a).

Please feel free to contact me at (301)415-5790 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

/RA/

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