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**PROGRAM MANAGEMENT INFORMATION: REVISION TO MANAGEMENT DIRECTIVE 5.3,  
NRC/AGREEMENT STATE WORKING GROUPS (STP-01- 046)**

Enclosed for your review and comment is a draft revision to NRC Management Directive 5.3, "NRC/Agreement State Working Groups." The revision incorporates additional detail on the establishment and implementation of NRC/Agreement State working groups, including the role of steering committees. The revision also reflects changes that better characterize the respective roles of NRC and the Organization of Agreement States in the establishment of a working group.

We would appreciate receiving your comments\* within 30 days of receiving this letter.

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