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Viewgraphs for October 30, 2001 Meeting Between Framatome ANP and the NRC – Realistic Large Break LOCA Methodology for Pressurized Water Reactors

Ref.: 1. Letter, J. F. Mallay (Framatome ANP) to Document Control Desk (NRC), "Viewgraphs for October 30, 2001 Meeting Between Framatome ANP and the NRC - Realistic Large Break LOCA Methodology for Pressurized Water Reactors," NRC:01:044, October 19, 2001.

A CD containing an updated proprietary and an updated nonproprietary copy of the viewgraphs to be presented at the October 30, 2001 meeting between Framatome ANP and the NRC is provided with this letter. These updated viewgraphs replace those previously transmitted in Reference 1. The proprietary information shown on the proprietary version of the viewgraphs is indicated by brackets ([]) surrounding the proprietary information. The subject of the meeting is the recently submitted topical report (EMF-2103(P)(A)) on PWR Realistic Large Break LOCA methodology. (NOTE: A copy of the CD has been sent directly to Mr. J. S. Cushing.)

Framatome ANP considers some of the information contained in the enclosure to this letter to be proprietary. As required by 10 CFR 2.790(b), an affidavit is enclosed to support the withholding of this information from public disclosure.

Very truly yours,

James. F. Mallay, Director
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Enclosures

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AFFIDAVIT

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1. My name is Larry A. Nielsen. I am Chairman of the Management Review Team (acting for James F. Mallay) for Framatome ANP ("FRA-ANP"), and as such I am authorized to execute this Affidavit.

2. I am familiar with the criteria applied by FRA-ANP to determine whether certain FRA-ANP information is proprietary. I am familiar with the policies established by FRA-ANP to ensure the proper application of these criteria.

3. I am familiar with the FRA-ANP information included in the presentation material transmitted with the letter NRC:01:045, dated October 25, 2001, from James F. Mallay to the Document Control Desk. These viewgraphs are referred to herein as "Documents." Information contained in these Documents has been classified by FRA-ANP as proprietary in accordance with the policies established by FRA-ANP for the control and protection of proprietary and confidential information.

4. These Documents contain information of a proprietary and confidential nature and is of the type customarily held in confidence by FRA-ANP and not made available to the public. Based on my experience, I am aware that other companies regard information of the kind contained in these Documents as proprietary and confidential.

5. These Documents have been made available to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission in confidence with the request that the information contained in the Documents be withheld from public disclosure.

6. The following criteria are customarily applied by FRA-ANP to determine whether information should be classified as proprietary:

- (a) The information reveals details of FRA-ANP's research and development plans and programs or their results.
- (b) Use of the information by a competitor would permit the competitor to significantly reduce its expenditures, in time or resources, to design, produce, or market a similar product or service.
- (c) The information includes test data or analytical techniques concerning a process, methodology, or component, the application of which results in a competitive advantage for FRA-ANP.
- (d) The information reveals certain distinguishing aspects of a process, methodology, or component, the exclusive use of which provides a competitive advantage for FRA-ANP in product optimization or marketability.
- (e) The information is vital to a competitive advantage held by FRA-ANP, would be helpful to competitors to FRA-ANP, and would likely cause substantial harm to the competitive position of FRA-ANP.

7. In accordance with FRA-ANP's policies governing the protection and control of information, proprietary information contained in these Documents has been made available, on a limited basis, to others outside FRA-ANP only as required and under suitable agreement providing for nondisclosure and limited use of the information.

8. FRA-ANP policy requires that proprietary information be kept in a secured file or area and distributed on a need-to-know basis.

9. The foregoing statements are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

Larry Wilson

SUBSCRIBED before me this 25th
day of October, 2001.

Susan K. McCoy

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MY COMMISSION EXPIRES: 1/10/04

