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Ms. Annette L. Vietti-Cook
Secretary
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555-0001

Attention: Rulemakings and Adjudications Staff

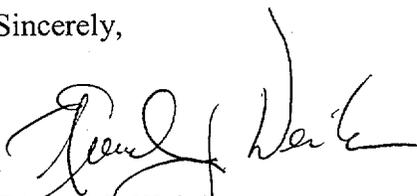
Subject: Comments on NEI Petition to Amend Appendix K to 10 CFR 50, ECCS
Evaluation Models (Docket No. PRM-50-74)

Dear Ms. Vietti-Cook:

On September 6, 2001, the Nuclear Energy Institute petitioned to amend Appendix K to 10 CFR 50, *ECCS Evaluation Models*. This petition was noticed for public comment in the October 11, 2001, Federal Register. The purpose of this letter is to forward the position of Nuclear Management Company, LLC on this petition. Nuclear Management Company, LLC operates the Duane Arnold Energy Center, Kewaunee Nuclear Power Plant, Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant, Palisades Nuclear Power Plant, Point Beach Nuclear Power Plant and Prairie Island Nuclear Generating Plant.

Nuclear Management Company, LLC endorses the Nuclear Energy Institute petition and agrees with the proposed amendment, justification for the amendment, regulatory analysis and conclusion. Nuclear Management Company, LLC supports the Commission moving ahead with amendment as contained in the petition.

Sincerely,


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