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NINE MILE POINT NUCLEAR STATION, UNITS 1 AND 2 (NMP1 and NMP2) LICENSE RENEWAL APPLICATION (LRA) STAFF's FOLLOWUP ITEMS (FUIS) RELATED TO:

LRA Section 2.0, "Scoping And Screening Methodology"

On December 22, 2004, NMP provided its responses (NMP1L 1904) to the staff RAIs regarding LRA Section 2.0, "Scoping And Screening Methodology For Identifying Structures And Components Subject To Aging Management Review, And Implementation Results"

The following is the staff followup question and this question has been discussed with the NMP staff at the NRC/Constellation LLC public meeting on February 2, 2005:

RAI 2.1-4 (Followup Item 2.1-4) - The staff requested the applicant review their 10 CFR 54.21(a)(2) evaluation to verify that the equivalent anchors and equipment within the anchor boundaries were included within scope. Specifically, with respect to NMP responses to RAI 2.1-4(a), the staff requested the applicant to verify that for systems which use plant equipment as the equivalent anchors, the equipment was included in scope. Additionally, for systems that are already in scope but which transition outside of the safety-related buildings, the staff requested the applicant to verify that equivalent anchor was also included in those cased where the equivalent anchor was located beyond the building boundary. For both cases the staff requested the applicant to document their scoping evaluations that were used to verify these conditions.

The staff requested the applicant to provide additional information to NMP response to RAI 2.1-4(b) and identify how many non safety-related (NSR) components were excluded from scope based on the use of the NSR Safety Systems and Components (SSCs) which Functionally Interact With SR SSCs' criterion. The staff requested the applicant to confirm that the criterion was not used to exclude any NSR SSCs that could inhibit a SR SSC from performing it's intended functions.

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