

October 21, 2005

Mr. John Adkins, Chairman
ASME Nuclear Quality Assurance Standards Committee
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Dear Mr. Adkins:

I wish to inform you of a change in NRC participation in one of the ASME NQA subcommittees. Specifically, I would like to nominate Ms. Kerri Kavanagh to replace Mr. Ted Carter in the Engineering and Procurement Processes Subcommittee. Ms. Kavanagh will join Mr. Ken Heck as NRC/NRR representatives to Engineering and Procurement Processes Subcommittee.

The PF-1 form for Ms. Kavanagh was provided to Mr. Steven Rossi at the October 2005 ASME NQA Meeting. An additional copy of the PF-1 form for Ms. Kavanagh is attached for your use.

In accordance with OMB Circular A-119, "Federal Participation in the Development and Use of Voluntary Consensus Standards and in Conformity Assessment Activities," February 19, 1998, the participation on a committee of an authorized NRC representative does not connote agency agreement with, or endorsement of, decisions reached by the committee, or of standards approved and published as a result of the committee's efforts. Agency representatives participating on standards developing groups will, to the extent possible, ascertain the views of the agency on matters of interest and will express views that are consistent with established agency views

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