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SUBJECT: Proposed Tier 1 and Tier 2 AP1000 Design Certification Changes


Attached are the proposed changes to portions of the Tier 1 and Tier 2 information in the AP1000 Design Control Document (DCD) to be incorporated in Revision 15.

Westinghouse reviewed the AP1000 Tier 1 Design Control Document for information that should be corrected and clarified, as a result of conversations and other interactions with NRC staff. These proposed changes are a result of that review and are marked with underlines for added material and with strikeouts for deleted material. Please include these changes in the design certification and the support documents. The proposed changes include editorial and minor technical changes and clarifications to Tier 1 information to include ITAAC's. These changes are identified as a result of the NEI and NuStart efforts to prepare for the Combined Operating License (COL). The Tier 2 changes have been included at the request of the NRC staff to be consistent with the Tier 1 changes.

These items are generally simple changes and have been reviewed by the NRC staff. Incorporation of these changes into the design certification documentation is not expected to delay approval of the design certification. Westinghouse will provide a revised copy of the Design Control Document once the NRC staff agrees the proposed changes are acceptable.

Please contact me at 412-374-4728 if you have further questions concerning this transmittal.

Very truly yours,


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Message for Document Control Desk Concerning DCD/NRC1723

Gentlepersons:

The enclosed letter and CD is a resend (at the request of the NRC) of a previous submittal.

Thank you.