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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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Attention: Mr. David Matthews, Director
Division of New Reactor Licensing

Subject: Confidentiality of the Content of the Mitsubishi Heavy Industries Letter of
Intent to Pursue Design Certification

In the Mitsubishi Heavy Industries, Ltd. (MHI) letter dated May 15, 2006, signed by me, MHI requested that the content of the letter to the USNRC identified as Enclosure 1, dated May 12, 2006 from Mr. Hiroshi Inoue - Senior Vice President of MHI Nuclear Energy Systems Headquarters, be maintained as confidential by the NRC. I have herein enclosed a copy of Mr. Inoue's letter for your reference.

Since the issuance of my May 15th letter, MHI has decided to make public the content of the enclosed letter from Mr. Inoue, and therefore, MHI, by submittal of this letter, withdraws its' request for the USNRC to maintain its' content as confidential and understands that the letter in, its' entirety, will be placed in the public record.

If the NRC has any question concerning this matter, please contact Keith Paulson at (412) 374-4063.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Yours truly,

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