



NUCLEAR ENERGY INSTITUTE

**Alan P. Nelson**  
DIRECTOR EMERGENCY  
PREPAREDNESS  
NUCLEAR GENERATION

October 5, 2006

Mr. Nader Mamish  
Director, Emergency Preparedness Directorate  
Office of Nuclear Security and Incident Response  
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, DC 20555-0001

**SUBJECT:** Methodology for Development of Emergency Action  
Levels NEI 99-01 Rev. 4  
Frequently Asked Questions Submittal

**PROJECT NUMBER: 689**

Dear Mr. Mamish:

In keeping with the "Frequently Asked Question (FAQ) Process for Emergency Preparedness Guidance," as provided in correspondence from Roy Zimmerman, NRC Director, Office of Nuclear Security and Incident Response to Stephen Floyd, NEI Vice President Regulatory Affairs (August 31, 2005) and follow up to public meeting discussions of September 7, 2006, NEI submits the attached FAQs 2006-027 - ATWS and 2006-028 - ALWR EALs.

We appreciate the progress and the efforts to date by the staff. As a result, this effort will reduce the regulatory burden for the NRC as well as the industry.

The FAQ's in Attachment 1 are ready to be posted on the NRC Web Site for the 30-day comment period.

If you have any questions regarding this effort, please contact Marty Hug ([mth@nei.org](mailto:mth@nei.org)) or 202-739-8129.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Alan Nelson", is written over a light blue horizontal line.

Alan Nelson

c: Eric Weiss

Attachments