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Mr. Glenn M. Tracy
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Washington, DC 20555-0001

Subject: Submittal of NEI 08-01, Revision 0 DRAFT, "Industry Guideline for ITAAC Closure Process Under 10 CFR Part 52"

Project Number: 689

Dear Mr. Tracy:

This letter provides the NEI 08-01, Revision 0 DRAFT, "Industry Guideline for ITAAC Closure Process Under 10 CFR Part 52," for NRC review. The industry prepared this document based on the interactions at the public workshops for the Construction Inspection Program (CIP) that have occurred over the past year. We believe that it will provide useful guidance for licensees and the NRC staff on the Inspections, Tests, Analysis and Acceptance Criteria (ITAAC) closure process during new plant construction.

We appreciate the interactions to date and look forward to receiving NRC staff comments. We propose a public meeting in early May to focus on any questions the staff may have regarding the document, followed by receipt of written comments prior to the May 22nd CIP workshop to enable a meaningful discussion.

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If you have any questions, please contact me or Leslie Kass at (202) 739-8115; lck@nei.org.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "RJBell", written in a cursive style.

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Enclosure

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