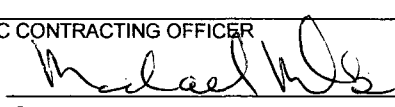


**U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
NOTICE OF GRANT/ASSISTANCE AWARD**

<b>1. GRANT/AGREEMENT NO.</b> NRC-04-09-149	<b>2. MODIFICATION NO.</b> M001	<b>3. PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE</b> FROM: 09/29/2009 TO: 09/28/2011	<b>4. AUTHORITY</b> Pursuant to Section 31b and 141b of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended												
<b>5. TYPE OF AWARD</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> GRANT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT	<b>6. ORGANIZATION TYPE</b>  003403953	<b>7. RECIPIENT NAME, ADDRESS, and EMAIL ADDRESS</b> PENNSYLVANIA STATE UNIVERSITY, THE PENN STATE  408 OLD MAIN  UNIVERSITY PARK PA 168021505 alm25@psu.edu													
<b>8. PROJECT TITLE:</b> OCED/NRC PSBT Benchmark based on NUPEC PWR Subchannel and Bundle Tests															
<b>9. PROJECT WILL BE CONDUCTED PER GOVERNMENT'S/RECIPIENT'S PROPOSAL(S) DATED</b> 04/09/09  <b>AND APPENDIX A-PROJECT GRANT PROVISIONS</b>	<b>10. TECHNICAL REPORTS ARE REQUIRED</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PROGRESS AND FINAL <input type="checkbox"/> FINAL ONLY <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Conference Proceedings)	<b>11. PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR(S) NAME, ADDRESS and EMAIL ADDRESS</b> Dr. Maria N. Avramova Pennsylvania State University 231 Reber Bldg University Park, PA 168021505 mna109@psu.edu													
<b>12. NRC PROGRAM OFFICE (NAME and ADDRESS)</b> U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Attn: Mr. Alexander Velazques-Lozada Mail Stop C-3A07M Office of Research Washington, DC 20555	<b>13. ACCOUNTING and APPROPRIATION DATA</b> APPN. NO: 31X0200.960 B&R NO: 060-15-111-205 JOB CODE: K6883 BOC NO: 252A OFFICE ID NO: RES-C10-607		<b>14. METHOD OF PAYMENT</b> <input type="checkbox"/> ADVANCE BY TREASURY CHECK <input type="checkbox"/> REIMBURSEMENT BY TREASURY CHECK <input type="checkbox"/> LETTER OF CREDIT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY) Electronic ASAP.gov (See Remarks in Item #20 "Payment Information")												
<b>15. NRC OBLIGATION FUNDS</b>  <table style="width:100%;"> <tr> <td style="width:40%;">THIS ACTION</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$22,500.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>PREVIOUS OBLIGATION</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$10,000.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>TOTAL</b></td> <td style="text-align: right;"><b>\$32,500.00</b></td> </tr> </table>		THIS ACTION	\$22,500.00	PREVIOUS OBLIGATION	\$10,000.00	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$32,500.00</b>	<b>16. TOTAL FUNDING AGREEMENT</b>  <table style="width:100%;"> <tr> <td style="width:40%;">NRC</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$117,802.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>RECIPIENT</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$0.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>TOTAL</b></td> <td style="text-align: right;"><b>\$117,802.00</b></td> </tr> </table>		NRC	\$117,802.00	RECIPIENT	\$0.00	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$117,802.00</b>
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<b>17. NRC ISSUING OFFICE (NAME, ADDRESS and EMAIL ADDRESS)</b>  U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Div. of Contracts Attn: Mr. Michael Mills Mail Stop: TWB-01-B10M Washington, DC 20555															
<b>18.</b> Acceptance of or objections to the Terms and Conditions of Award must be Emailed to the NRC Issuing Office (Block #17) within three (3) business days following the Award issue date. NRC considers lack of response as acceptance by the grantee of the terms and conditions of award.		<b>19. NRC CONTRACTING OFFICER</b>  <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="text-align: center;">             (Signature)         </div> <div style="text-align: center;">           10/29/09            (Date)         </div> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div>             NAME (TYPED) Michael Mills               TITLE Contracting Officer               TELEPHONE NO. 301-492-3621           </div> </div>													
<b>20. PAYMENT INFORMATION</b>  Payment will be made through the Automated Standard Application for Payment (ASAP.gov) unless the recipient has failed to comply with the program objectives, award conditions, Federal reporting requirements or other conditions specified in 2 CFR 215 (OMB Circular A110).															
<b>21. Attached is a copy of the "NRC General Provisions for Grants and Cooperative Agreements Awarded to Non-Government Recipients. Acceptance of these terms and conditions is acknowledged when Federal funds are used on this project.</b>															
<b>22. ORDER OF PRECEDENCE</b> In the event of a conflict between the recipient's proposal and this award, the terms of the Award shall prevail.															
<b>23. By this award, the Recipient certifies that payment of any audit-related debt will not reduce the level of performance of any Federal Program.</b>															

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This modification provides incremental funding in the amount of \$22,500, thereby increasing the amount of funds obligated under this cooperative agreement from \$10,000 to \$32,500.

A summary of obligations for this contract from the award date through the date of this action is provided below:

Total FY 09 Obligations	\$10,000
Total FY 10 Obligations	\$22,500
Cumulative Obligations	\$32,500
Total Funding Agreement	\$117,802

This modification obligates FY 10 funds in the amount of \$22,500.

All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.