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Review of ANP-10303P, "SIVAT: TELEPERM XS™ Simulation Validation Test Tool Topical Report," (TAC NO. ME1503)

Ref. 1: Letter, Ronnie L. Gardner (AREVA NP Inc.) to Document Control Desk (NRC), "Request for Review and Approval of ANP-10303P, 'SIVAT: TELEPERM XS™ Simulation Validation Test Tool Topical Report'," NRC:09:063, June 11, 2009.

Ref. 2: Letter, Stacey L. Rosenberg (NRC) to Ronnie L. Gardner (AREVA NP Inc.), "Acceptance for Review of AREVA NP, INC. SIVAT: TELEPERM XS™ Simulation Validation Test Tool Topical Report (TAC NO. ME1503)," December 28, 2009.

AREVA NP Inc. (AREVA NP) submitted ANP-10303P, Revision 0, "SIVAT: TELEPERM XS™ Simulation Validation Test Tool Topical Report," for review and approval in Reference 1.

The NRC documented its acceptance review of ANP-10303P in Reference 2. The acceptance review letter also documented AREVA NP's commitment to provide translation of the relevant portion of the following SIVAT development documents made during a telephone conference call on October 22, 2009:

- Requirements specification: SIMM
(original title: Lastenheft SIMM (KWU NLL4/98/068))
- TXS design specification, version 01.21: Generator CATS-SDE for the TXS simulation environment
(original title: TXS-Pflichtenheft, Version 01.21: Generator CATS-SDE für die TXS-Simulationsumgebung (KWU NLLZ ST/99/023b))
- General requirements specification: TXS simulator
(original title: Rahmenlastenheft: TXS-Simulator (KWU NLL4/98/042))

The requested translations are provided in an enclosure to this letter in AREVA NP document NLTC-G/2009/en/0069 A, TELEPERM XS Simulation tools - translation of selected chapters from requirements and design specification documents from the initial development, dated November 30, 2009.

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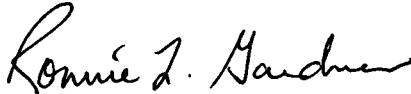
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AREVA NP considers some of the material contained in AREVA NP document NLTC-G/2009/en/0069 A to be proprietary. As required by 10 CFR 2.390(b), an affidavit is enclosed to support the withholding of the information from public disclosure. Proprietary and non-proprietary versions of the document are provided. .

If you have any questions related to this submittal, please contact Mr. Mark Burzynski, Manager, Product Licensing. He may be reached by telephone at 434-832-4695 or by e-mail at Mark.Burzynski@areva.com.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Ronnie L. Gardner".

Ronnie L. Gardner, Manager
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AREVA NP Inc.

Enclosures

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1. My name is Mark J. Burzynski. I am Manager, Product Licensing, for AREVA NP Inc. and as such I am authorized to execute this Affidavit.

2. I am familiar with the criteria applied by AREVA NP to determine whether certain AREVA NP information is proprietary. I am familiar with the policies established by AREVA NP to ensure the proper application of these criteria.

3. I am familiar with the AREVA NP information contained in the NLTC-G/2009/en/0069 A, TELEPERM XS Simulation tools - translation of selected chapters from requirements and design specification documents from the initial development, dated November 30, 2009 and referred to herein as the "Document." Information contained in this Document has been classified by AREVA NP as proprietary in accordance with the policies established by AREVA NP for the control and protection of proprietary and confidential information.

4. This Document contains information of a proprietary and confidential nature and is of the type customarily held in confidence by AREVA NP and not made available to the public. Based on my experience, I am aware that other companies regard information of the kind contained in this Document as proprietary and confidential.

5. This Document has been made available to the U S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission in confidence with the request that the information contained in this Document be withheld from public disclosure. The request for withholding of proprietary information is made in accordance with 10 CFR 2.390. The information for which withholding from disclosure is requested qualifies under 10 CFR 2.390(a)(4) "Trade secrets and commercial or financial information".

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8. AREVA NP policy requires that proprietary information be kept in a secured file or area and distributed on a need-to-know basis.

9. The foregoing statements are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

Mark J. Buzynski

SUBSCRIBED before me on this 4th
day of January, 2010.

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