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Attention: Mr. Jeffrey A. Ciocco

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Subject: Schedule for the US-APWR Design Control Document Revision 3

References: 1) Letter MHI Ref: UAP-HF-09490 from Y. Ogata (MHI) to U.S. NRC, "Submittal of US-APWR Design Control Document Revision 2 in Support of Mitsubishi Heavy Industries, Ltd.'s Application for Design Certification of

Mitsubishi Heavy Industries, Ltd.'s Application for Design Certification of the US-APWR Standard Plant Design" dated October 27, 2009

2) ADAMS Accession No.: ML100830739 from U.S. NRC, "SCHEDULE CHANGE FOR THE UNITED STATES – ADVANCED PRESSURIZED WATER REACTOR DESIGN CERTIFICATION" dated April 28, 2010.

The purpose of this letter is to inform the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) of a schedule for the US-APWR Design Control Document (DCD) Revision 3. This information will be useful for the combined license applicants using the US-APWR DCD as standard design.

After the submission of DCD Revision 2 in Reference 1, Mitsubishi Heavy Industries, Ltd. (MHI) submitted the responses to Requests for Additional Information (RAI) and the DCD Tracking Reports which included the DCD markups for the RAI responses that impacted on the DCD. According to the letter from the NRC in Reference 2, the Phase 2 review of US-APWR DCD will complete on March 2011 and the members of Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards (ACRS) will review the Safety Evaluation Report with open items comparing with the DCD.

Therefore, MHI plans to submit the DCD Revision 3 by March 31, 2011. DCD Revision 3 will include all affected responses from RAIs coinciding with the end of the DCD Phase 2 review, March 14, 2011.

Please contact Dr. C. Keith Paulson, Senior Technical Manager, Mitsubishi Nuclear Energy Systems, Inc. if the NRC has questions concerning any aspect of this submittal. His contact information is provided below.



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