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Withdrawal of 10 CFR 50.34(f)(2)(iv) Exemption Request for the U.S. EPR Standard Design Certification

- Ref. 1: Letter, Sandra M. Sloan (AREVA NP Inc.) to Document Control Desk (NRC), "Response to U.S. EPR Design Certification Application RAI No. 47, Question 18-29, Request for Exemption from 10 CFR 50.34(f)(2)(iv)," NRC:08:074, October 15, 2008.
- Ref. 2: E-mail, Getachew Tesfaye (NRC) to AREVA NP Inc., "U.S. EPR Design Certification Application RAI No. 47 (829, 842, 880), FSAR Ch 18," August 22, 2008.
- Ref. 3: E-mail, Getachew Tesfaye (NRC) to AREVA NP Inc., "Response to U.S. EPR Design Certification Application RAI No. 47, FSAR Ch 18, Exemption Request," June 20, 2011

On October 15, 2008, AREVA NP Inc. (AREVA NP) requested an exemption from 10 CFR 50.34(f)(2)(iv) - "Safety Parameter Display System (SPDS) Console" for the U.S. EPR Standard Design Certification (Reference 1) pursuant to 10 CFR 50.12. This exemption request was submitted at the request of the NRC staff with the response to RAI 47, Question 18-29 (Reference 2).

On June 20, 2011, the NRC requested a revised response to RAI 47 Question 18-29 and a withdrawal of the exemption request (Reference 3). Therefore, AREVA NP is withdrawing its request for exemption from 10 CFR 50.34(f)(2)(iv) submitted in Reference 1.

If you have any questions related to this submittal, please contact me by telephone at 434-832-2369 or by e-mail at sandra.sloan@areva.com.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Sandra M. Sloan".

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