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SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF WEEKLY CONFERENCE CALL MEETING TO

DISCUSS OPEN ITEMS AND OUTSTANDING REQUESTS FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION RESPONSES RELATING TO NUCLEAR INNOVATION NORTH AMERICA'S SOUTH TEXAS PROJECT UNITS 3 AND 4 COMBINED LICENSE APPLICATION ON

NOVEMBER 9, 2011

On Wednesday, November 9, 2011, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's staff held a public conference call from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., with a continuation call from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Chapter 3 issues, with members of Nuclear Innovation North America (NINA). The purpose of the conference call was to discuss the status of the remaining open items (OI) related to the NINA Combined License Application (COLA). In addition, several requests for additional information were discussed in further detail.

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