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Subject: NEI 96-07, Appendix C, *Guideline for Implementation of Change Control Processes for New Nuclear Plants Licensed Under 10 CFR 52* – Additional Sections for NRC Review

Project Number: 689

Dear Mr. Matthews:

Attached for NRC review is NEI 96-07, Appendix C, *Guideline for Implementation of Change Control Processes for New Nuclear Plants Licensed Under 10 CFR 52*, revised draft Section 4.4.2.2 and draft new Section 4.1.1. As noted in our October 31, 2011 letter submitting NEI 96-07, Appendix C, Revision 0C, these sections were still under development at the time of that submittal. We are providing these draft sections for review as part of NEI 96-07, Appendix C, Revision 0C, and welcome your comments.

The attached draft sections of Appendix C include revised examples found in Section 4.4.2.2 to reflect dose in terms of total effective dose equivalent rather than thyroid and whole body dose, and new Section 4.1.1, "Construction Change Applicability," that provides guidance on control of construction changes in accordance with Criterion III, Design Control, and other provisions of 10 CFR Part 50, Appendix B.

We understand the NRC plans to provide its comments on draft NEI 96-07, Appendix C, in December 2011.

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If you have any questions, please contact me or Kati Austgen (202.739.8068; kra@nei.org).

Sincerely,

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