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**Subject:** Transmittal of NEI 12-01, "Guideline for Assessing Beyond Design Basis Accident Response Staffing and Communications Capabilities," Revision 0, dated May 2012

**Project Number: 689**

Dear Mr. Skeen:

The Nuclear Energy Institute (NEI) and two industry task force groups have developed and are seeking NRC review and endorsement of NEI 12-01, "Guideline for Assessing Beyond Design Basis Accident Response Staffing and Communications Capabilities," Revision 0, dated May 2012. To facilitate your review, a copy of the document is attached. The guidance contained in this document will be used by licensees to respond to staff requests for information associated with Recommendation 9.3 of the Near-Term Task Force (NTTF) report on the Fukushima Daiichi accident.

This version supersedes the draft previously provided for staff review dated April 2012 (ADAMS #ML12110A204). We understand and agree that no further review work will be performed on this earlier submittal.

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Susan Perkins-Grew". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "S" and a stylized "G" at the end.

Susan Perkins-Grew

Attachment

c: Mr. Kevin Williams, NSIR/DPR/DDEP/NRLB, NRC  
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