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Subject: Transmittal of Revised Draft of NEI 99-01, "Development of Emergency Action Levels for Non-Passive Reactors," Revision 6, Dated September 2012

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Dear Mr. Lewis:

The Nuclear Energy Institute (NEI) and an industry task force have developed and are seeking NRC review and endorsement of NEI 99-01, "Development of Emergency Action Levels for Non-Passive Reactors," Revision 6, dated September 2012. To facilitate your review, a copy of this document is provided as Attachment 1. This version supersedes the draft previously provided for staff review and endorsement dated November 2011 (ADAMS #ML113270329). We understand and agree that no further review work will be performed on this earlier submittal.

The attached document addresses the staff's comments provided to NEI and industry representatives during public meetings on January 31, March 27, and May 15, 2012.

Attachment 2 provides a change summary for this revision.

Attachment 3 provides an evaluation of each Initiating Condition set within the context of the overall emergency classification scheme.

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Please contact David Young at (202) 739-8127; <u>dly@nei.org</u>, if you require additional information or wish to schedule a public meeting concerning this transmittal.

Sincerely,

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Attachments

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