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SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF CHANGE TO THE SECURITY FUNCTION

Dear Ms. Parr:

By letters dated December 12, 2012, and January 15, 2013, the Westinghouse Electric Company LLC requested Commission approval for a change of the Security Function at the Columbia Fuel Fabrication Facility. The specifics of these letters have sensitive information and, hence, are not available to the public.

Upon our review, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) staff finds that the change does not decrease the effectiveness of the Security Function. The proposed change of the Security Function is approved. Special Nuclear Materials license SNM-1107 will be revised to include Revision 43 of the Physical Protection Plan in license condition SG-2.1 of the next license amendment, which will be Amendment 17.

This letter both concludes the action on the review and closes Technical Assignment Control Number L33253.

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