

January 8, 2015

Ms. Sandra Gavutis  
Executive Director  
C-10 Research and Education Foundation  
44 Merrimac Street  
Newburyport, MA 01950

Dear Ms. Gavutis:

This letter is in reference to the petition for rulemaking (PRM), dated September 25, 2014, that you filed electronically with the U.S Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC). Your PRM is available in the NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System under Accession No. ML14281A124. You request that the NRC amend its regulations to provide improved identification techniques against Alkali-Silica Reaction concrete degradation at nuclear power plants. The NRC docketed your petition pursuant to § 2.802 of Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* "Petition for rulemaking," on October 8, 2014, and assigned it Docket Number PRM-50-109. Please reference this docket number on any correspondence you may have concerning the petition.

You can monitor the docket for your petition on the Federal rulemaking Web site, <http://www.regulations.gov>, by searching on Docket ID NRC-2014-0257. In addition, the Federal rulemaking Web site allows you to receive alerts when changes or additions occur in a docket folder. To subscribe: (1) navigate to the docket folder (NRC-2014-0257); (2) click the "E-mail Alert" link; and (3) enter your e-mail address and select how frequently you would like to receive e-mails (daily, weekly, or monthly). The NRC also tracks all petition actions on its Website at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/rulemaking-ruleforum/petitions-by-year.html>.

You may direct any questions you may have concerning the petition process or the status of your petition to Cindy Bladey at 301-287-0949 (e-mail: [Cindy.Bladey@nrc.gov](mailto:Cindy.Bladey@nrc.gov)) or to Carol Gallagher at 301-287-3422 (e-mail: [Carol.Gallagher@nrc.gov](mailto:Carol.Gallagher@nrc.gov)).

Sincerely,

***/RA/ (Andrew Bates for)***

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