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SUBJECT: VERIFICATION LETTER OF THE APPROVED VERSION OF AREVA INC.  
TOPICAL REPORT EMF-92-116P-A, REVISION 0, SUPPLEMENT 1P-A,  
REVISION 0, "GENERIC MECHANICAL DESIGN CRITERIA FOR PWR  
[PRESSURIZED WATER REACTOR] FUEL DESIGNS" (TAC NO. MF6275)

Dear Mr. Pedro Salas:

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NRC staff has completed its review of the approved version of the TR. NRC staff verified that AREVA Inc. has met the requirements and determined that the submitted "-A" versions are acceptable for referencing in licensing applications for nuclear power plants to the extent specified and under the limitations delineated in the accepted versions of the TR. TR EMF-92-116P-A, Revision 0, Supplement 1P, "Generic Mechanical Design Criteria for PWR Fuel Design," is now approved for use in future licensing actions.

Please contact Jonathan G. Rowley of my staff at (301) 415-4053 if you have on questions on this subject.

Sincerely,

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