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Pursuant to a request for comments on a proposed generic communication on the storage, preservation, and safekeeping of Quality Assurance records in electronic media, please find attached Duke Energy Corporation's comments.

If additional information is required, please contact Randy Cross at (704) 373-3504.

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Comments on Proposed Generic Communication; Attachment 1 -
Guidance on the Storage, Preservation, and Safekeeping of
Quality Assurance Records in Electronic Media
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1. (Section 1) Item (d) is missing. Is information missing from this section?
2. (Section 1) More specific information is needed in the description of Electronic Signatures. Is there a requirement that the signature be a picture or image of the individual's cursive signature? We prefer use of an electronic signature process which includes a password and code.
3. (Section 3) Item (a) - Define the word "periodically".
4. (Section 3) Item (d)- More specific information is needed to address "initial and periodic testing of devices."