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SUBJECT: ACCEPTANCE LETTER FOR THE REVIEW OF TOPICAL REPORT
TR-0515-13952, "RISK SIGNIFICANCE DETERMINATION," REVISION 0
(PROJ0769)

Dear Mr. Bergman,

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The NRC staff estimates that the detailed review of your topical report will require 120 NRC staff-hours, including project management time. This estimate could change depending upon the number of RAIs and/or the need for briefing the NRC's Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards (ACRS) members. The NRC staff plans to begin the review on September 1, 2015, and complete the review by mid December 2015. On August 27, 2015, in an e-mail from Mr. Steven Mirsky, Licensing Manager, NuScale agreed to the NRC staff's cost estimates and proposed review schedule.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Mr. Omid Tabatabai, Senior Project Manager, at (301) 415-6616 or Omid.Tabatabai@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,

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