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Subject: Acceptance Review Determination - Millstone Units 2 And 3: ASME SectionXI ISI Program Relief Requests for Limited Coverage Examinations - 4th 10-year ISI Interval (MF6567 - MF6574)

Wanda,

The purpose of this e-mail is to provide the results of the NRC staff's acceptance review of the subject licensing action requests

By letters dated July 30, 2015 (ADAMS Accession Nos. ML15216A359 and ML15216A363), Dominion Nuclear Connecticut, Inc. (DNC) submitted several relief requests pursuant to 10 CFR 50.55a(g)(5)(iii) on the basis that the required examination coverage was impractical due to physical obstructions and limitations imposed by design, geometry and materials of construction of certain components.

The acceptance review was performed to determine if there is sufficient technical information in scope and depth to allow the NRC staff to complete its detailed technical review. The acceptance review is also intended to identify whether the application has any readily apparent information insufficiencies in its characterization of the regulatory requirements or the licensing basis of the plant.

The NRC staff has reviewed DNC's requests for relief and concludes that it does provide technical information in sufficient detail to enable the NRC staff to complete its detailed technical review and make an independent assessment regarding the acceptability of the proposed amendment in terms of regulatory requirements and the protection of public health and safety and the environment. Given the lesser scope and depth of the acceptance review as compared to the detailed technical review, there may be instances in which issues that impact the NRC staff's ability to complete the detailed technical review are identified despite completion of an adequate acceptance review. You will be advised of any further information needed to support the NRC staff's detailed technical review by separate correspondence.

Thanks,

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