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May 4, 2016

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SUBJECT: PUBLIC MEETING SUMMARY - LICENSEE PERFORMANCE REVIEW FOR
AREVA NP RICHLAND, DOCKET NUMBER 70-1257

Dear Mr. Land:

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Following the meeting, members of the public had the opportunity to ask questions and provide feedback to the NRC regarding our inspection program for Areva NP Richland. The list of meeting attendees is enclosed. The meeting slide presentations are available under accession numbers ML16118A373 (for NRC's slides) and ML16118A371 (for Areva's slides) in ADAMS.

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Should you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Tom Vukovinsky of my staff at 404-997-4622 or Thomas.Vukovinsky@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,

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