

June 20, 2016

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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR WITHHOLDING INFORMATION FROM PUBLIC DISCLOSURE  
OF LOCKHEED MARTIN APRIL 15, 2016, SUBMITTAL (TAC NO. ME7900)

Dear Mr. Rosentel:

By letters dated April 15, 2016 (Agencywide Documents Access and Management System Accession package No. ML16120A048), Lockheed Martin submitted an affidavit executed by you dated April 15, 2016, requesting that the information contained in the following documents be withheld from public disclosure under Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR) 2.390, "Hearing Requests, Petitions To Intervene, Requirements for Standing, and Conditions."

WP610000-005, Nu PAC Core PL Design Verification White Paper, Revision A

WP610000-001, Independent Verification and validation Tool White Paper, Revision A

WP610000-002, Nu PAC Verification and Tool Summary White Paper

The letter stated that Lockheed Martin did not plan to submit nonproprietary versions of the documents. The basis given was that, because of the extensive amount of proprietary information in the documents, a nonproprietary version would be of no value to the public.

You detailed the reasons for withholding the information in your affidavit.

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) staff has reviewed your application and the statements in your affidavit, as well as the material, in accordance with the requirements of 10 CFR 2.390, and has determined that the submitted information sought to be withheld contains proprietary commercial information and should be withheld from public disclosure.

Therefore, the version(s) of the submitted information marked as proprietary will be withheld from public disclosure under 10 CFR 2.390(b)(5) and Section 103(b) of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended.

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You also should understand that the NRC staff may have cause to review this determination in the future (for example, if the scope of a Freedom of Information Act request includes your information). In all review situations, if the NRC makes a determination adverse to the above, you will be notified in advance of any public disclosure.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, I can be reached at 301-415-7297 or via e-mail at [Joseph.Holonich@nrc.gov](mailto:Joseph.Holonich@nrc.gov).

Sincerely,

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