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VIA NRC FOIA/PA EMAIL

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Freedom of Information Act and Privacy Act (FOIA/PA) Officer U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Mailstop: T-5 F08 Washington, DC 20555-0001

Re: Freedom of Information Act Request

Dear FOIA/PA Officer:

On behalf of the Nuclear Utility Group on Equipment Qualification (NUGEQ)¹, I seek access to records under the Freedom of Information Act regarding the NRC EQ Pilot Component Design Bases Inspection (CDBI) inspector training that took place in the Fall of 2015. NUGEQ members' observations during the inspections, and interactions with the inspectors, suggested that the training material may not have consistently reflected NRC EQ regulations and guidance. Thus, NUGEQ seeks videos, documents, and any other materials used by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission to train current inspectors in the EQ Pilot CDBI program. The preferred format is electronic.

We are willing to pay the applicable fees, if any, associated with processing our FOIA request.

Sincerely,

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¹ The NUGEQ is comprised of approximately 20 utilities, each owning and operating one or more nuclear power reactors. The NUGEQ represents over 95 of operating reactors in the United States. The NUGEQ was founded in 1981 to address legal and technical issues related to the qualification of equipment (primarily electrical). The Group regularly interacts with the NRC and industry organizations in addressing questions related to equipment qualification.