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Richard P. McIntyre, Acting Chief Quality Assurance Vendor Inspection Branch 2 Division of Construction Inspection and Operational Programs Office of New Reactors

Ref: REQUEST FOR WITHHOLDING INFORMATION FROM PUBLIC DISCLOSURE ASCO VALVE INC

Dear Mr. McIntyre,

As discussed, ASCO has assembled a team to complete our response to the subject letter. We respectfully request an extension to provide this response to the NRC. ASCO is working closely with Emerson corporate legal counsel to determine potential monetary and competitive damage our organization may experience by public disclosure of our proprietary information.

This extension would move the due date for response to September 16, 2016. Thank you in advance for your consideration of this request. We appreciate any allowance you can provide on our behalf and look forward to your decision.

Sincerely,

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Director of Quality Assurance

ASCO Valve, Inc.

