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Dear Mr. Bereson and Mr. Cofer:

This letter is in reference to the petition for rulemaking (PRM), dated July 14, 2016, that you filed electronically with the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) on behalf of the Nondestructive Testing Management Association and the American Society for Nondestructive Testing. Your PRM is available in the NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System under Accession No. ML16228A045. You request that the NRC amend its regulations to authorize use of improved individual monitoring devices for industrial radiographic personnel. The NRC docketed your petition pursuant to 10 CFR 2.803, "Petition for rulemaking – NRC action," on August 12, 2016, and assigned it Docket Numbers PRM-34-7 and NRC-2016-0182. Please reference these docket numbers on any correspondence you may have concerning the petition.

You can monitor the docket for your petition on the Federal rulemaking Web site, <http://www.regulations.gov>, by searching on Docket ID NRC-2016-0182. In addition, the Federal rulemaking Web site allows you to receive alerts when changes or additions occur in a docket folder. To subscribe: (1) navigate to the docket folder (NRC-2016-0182);

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You may direct any questions you may have concerning the petition process or the status of your petition to me at 301-415-3280 (e-mail: Cindy.Bladey@nrc.gov) or to Leslie Terry at 301-415-1167 (e-mail: Leslie.Terry@nrc.gov).

Sincerely,

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