

July 24, 2017

Mr. Tim Hanley  
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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR REPORT “BWRVIP-25, REVISION 1: BWR VESSEL AND INTERNALS PROJECT, BWR CORE PLATE INSPECTION AND FLAW EVALUATION GUIDELINES” (TAC NO. MF8863)

Dear Mr. Hanley:

By letter dated September 26, 2016 (Agencywide Documents Access and Management System Accession No. ML16273A474), the Boiling Water Reactor (BWR) Vessel and Internals Project (BWRVIP) submitted for U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) staff review Topical Report “BWRVIP-25, Revision 1: BWR Vessel And Internals Project, BWR Core Plate Inspection And Flaw Evaluation Guidelines.” Upon review of the information provided, the NRC staff has determined that additional information is needed to complete the review. The request for additional information (RAIs) questions are provided in the enclosure to this letter.

In an email exchange between Mr. Chuck Wirtz representing EPRI and myself, we agreed that the NRC staff will receive your response to the enclosed RAI by January 30, 2018. If you have any questions regarding the enclosed RAI questions, please contact me at 301-415-7297 or [Joseph.Holonich@nrc.gov](mailto:Joseph.Holonich@nrc.gov).

Sincerely,

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Enclosures:

1. RAI questions (nonproprietary)
2. RAI questions (proprietary)

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