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NRC Request for Information on AREVA Creusot Forge Forgings in U.S. Components and Carbon Segregation Issues

Ref. 1: Letter, Mr. Gary Peters (AREVA NP Inc.) to Ms. Kerri Kavanagh (NRC), "NRC Request for Information on AREVA Creusot Forge Forgings in U.S. Components and Carbon Segregation Issues," NRC:16:035, December 15, 2016.

In Reference 1, AREVA NP Inc. (AREVA) provided an Attachment A which listed U.S. nuclear power plants that contain components fabricated with forgings that were ordered from Creusot Forge (CF). These components were manufactured by multiple fabricators, one of which was AREVA. Please be aware that the number of forgings in the list may not match the actual number of forgings used by the fabricator. The actual number used is still being verified. AREVA will provide a revision to Attachment A, if it is deemed necessary.

Also note that some of the components referenced in the table are not yet installed in the plant or are associated with a cancelled project.

If you have any questions, please contact Victor Montalbano by telephone at (434) 832-3368 or by email at <u>Victor.Montalbano@areva.com</u>. You may also contact me by telephone at (434) 832-3945, or by email at <u>Gary.Peters@areva.com</u>.

Sincerely,

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