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Withdrawal of the Request for Review and Approval of ANP-10326P, Revision 1, "Environmentally Assisted Fatigue: Modified Effective Correction Factor for Austenitic Stainless Steels"

- Ref. 1: Letter, Pedro Salas (AREVA NP Inc.) to Document Control Desk (NRC), "Request for Review and Approval of ANP-10326P, 'Environmentally Assisted Fatigue: Modified Effective Correction Factor for Austenitic Stainless Steels'," NRC:12:060, November 30, 2012.
- Ref. 2: Letter, Joseph Colaccino (NRC) to Morris Byram (AREVA), "Nuclear Regulatory Commission Staff Assessment of ANP-10326," August 8, 2016.
- Ref. 3: Letter, Pedro Salas (AREVA NP Inc.) to Document Control Desk (NRC), "Response to a Request for Additional Information Regarding ANP-10326P, Revision 0, 'Environmentally Assisted Fatigue: Modified Effective Correction Factor for Austenitic Stainless Steels'," NRC:13:076, October 14, 2013.

AREVA Inc. (AREVA) requested the NRC's review and approval of the topical report ANP-10326P, "Environmentally Assisted Fatigue: Modified Effective Correction Factor for Austenitic Stainless Steels," in Reference 1. As chronicled in Reference 2, after AREVA supplied additional information, the NRC accepted ANP-10326P, Revision 1 for review. Revision 1 to ANP-10326P was submitted in Reference 3. Two rounds of requests for additional information and the associated AREVA responses to those requests are also chronicled in Reference 2. The staff's assessment of ANP-10326P, Revision 1 was enclosed with Reference 2.

AREVA has decided to withdraw the request for review and approval of topical report ANP-10326P, Revision 1, "Environmentally Assisted Fatigue: Modified Effective Correction Factor for Austenitic Stainless Steels." This decision is based on the staff's assessment that indicated that a significant amount of additional work would need to be performed to support approval. Therefore, AREVA requests that the NRC terminate its review efforts on this topical report and no further charges be accrued on the report.

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "G. Peters", with a large flourish extending to the right.

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