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REGION II

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July 27, 2017

Mr. Mike Annacone
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SUBJECT: WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC COMPANY – NUCLEAR REGULATORY
COMMISSION INSPECTION REPORT 70-1151/2017-402

Dear Mr. Annacone:

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) conducted an announced inspection July 10-13, 2017, at the Westinghouse Columbia Fuel Fabrication Facility (CFFF) in Hopkins, SC. The purpose of the inspection was to determine whether activities authorized by the license were conducted safely and in accordance with NRC requirements. At the conclusion of the inspection on July 13, 2017, the inspectors discussed the findings with members of your staff.

Areas examined during the inspection included fixed site and transportation shipment physical protection programs for special nuclear material of low strategic significance, physical protective measures implemented as required by NRC Orders for Interim Compensatory Measures dated June 17, 2002, and Safeguards Information protection program. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observation of activities in progress. No violations of significance of NRC requirements were identified.

In accordance with Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR) 2.390, "Public inspections, exemptions, requests for withholding" of the NRC's "Agency Rules of Practice and Procedure," a copy of this letter will be available electronically for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room, or from the Publicly Available Records (PARS) component of NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS); accessible from the NRC Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html> (the Public Electronic Reading Room).

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Should you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact us.

Sincerely,

/RA/

James Shehee, Acting Chief
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