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**Subject:** [External\_Sender] RE: REMINDER: Notification of NRC of PCA Finding (Continued Reasonable Assurance)

Mike

On August 30, 2017, based on the Preliminary Capabilities Assessment (PCA) performed, and our review of available information gathered in discussions with the OROs, FEMA has concluded that offsite radiological emergency preparedness (EP) remains adequate to provide "Reasonable Assurance" and that appropriate measures can be taken to protect the health and safety of the public in a radiological emergency at the South Texas Project. At this time, FEMA is not initiating actions to conduct a Disaster Initiated Review (DIR) of offsite EP issues within the South Texas Project 10-mile emergency planning zone.

Thanks  
Tim

Sent from my iFEMA mobile device.

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**From:** Anderson, Joseph <Joseph.Anderson@nrc.gov>  
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Just a reminder, that for formal documentation purposes, we are requesting written notification of PCA Finding of Continued Reasonable Assurance from the FEMA Director, Technological Hazards Division (or designee) to the NRC Director, Preparedness and response (or designee), using the example final determination language below (as provided in Section V.A of FEMA's SOG):

### **PCA Finding – Continued Reasonable Assurance**

"On [DATE], based on the Preliminary Capabilities Assessment (PCA) performed, our review of available information gathered in discussions with the OROs, FEMA has concluded that offsite radiological emergency preparedness (EP) remains adequate to provide "Reasonable Assurance" and that appropriate measures can be taken to protect the health and safety of the public in a radiological emergency at the [NUCLEAR POWER PLANT]. At this time, FEMA is not initiating actions to conduct a Disaster Initiated Review (DIR) of offsite EP issues within the [NUCLEAR POWER PLANT] 10-mile emergency planning zone."

**Please note that this written notification can be via email.** Please address to Michael Scott ([michael.scott@nrc.gov](mailto:michael.scott@nrc.gov)), and "cc" the following NRC staff:

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Thank you for your prompt response when final determination has been made. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me via my personal cell phone (302-981-7704).

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