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Mr. Gary Peters, Director
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Framatome Inc.
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SUBJECT: AUDIT REPORT FOR THE JUNE 11 – 13, 2018, AUDIT IN SUPPORT OF THE REVIEW OF ANP-10346P, REVISION 0, "ATWS-I ANALYSIS METHODOLOGY FOR BWRs USING RAMONA5-FA" (EPID: L-2017-TOP-0067)

Dear Mr. Peters:

By letter dated December 15, 2017 (Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) Accession No. ML17355A231), Framatome Inc. (Framatome, formerly AREVA Inc.) submitted for U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) staff review Topical Report (TR) ANP-10346P, Revision 0, "ATWS-I Analysis Methodology for BWRs Using RAMONA5-FA."

The NRC staff conducted a regulatory audit to increase their level of knowledge and understanding of the topic and associated methodologies on June 11 through 13, 2018, at the Framatome facilities in Richland, WA. The results of the audit will provide additional support for the NRC staff safety evaluation of the TR. The audit report is enclosed.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (301) 415-4053 or Jonathan.Rowley@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,

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Division of Policy and Rulemaking
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

Enclosures:

1. Audit Report (Proprietary)
2. Audit Report (Non-Proprietary)

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