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Attention:

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Subject:

BWRVIP Docket No. 99902016 – BWRVIP-241-A: BWR Vessel and Internals

Project, Probabilistic Fracture Mechanics Evaluation for the Boiling Water

Reactor Nozzle-to-Vessel Shell Welds and Nozzle Blend Radii

Enclosed is a copy of the report "BWRVIP-241-A: BWR Vessel and Internals Project, Probabilistic Fracture Mechanics Evaluation for the Boiling Water Reactor Nozzle-to-Vessel Shell Welds and Nozzle Blend Radii," EPRI Technical Report 3002013093.

The previous version of this report, BWRVIP-241, was revised to incorporate License Renewal Appendix A and the NRC Safety Evaluations of the report and License Renewal Appendix A at the request of the NRC staff. All changes to BWRVIP-241 are marked with margin bars. Details of the revisions can be found in Appendix F.

Please note that the enclosed report contains proprietary information. A letter requesting that the report be withheld from public disclosure and an affidavit describing the basis for withholding this information are provided as Attachment 1. All proprietary information is highlighted with yellow shading. The pages with the proprietary information are also marked with the letters "TS" indicating that information is considered trade secrets in accordance with 10 CFR 2.390.

One copy of the non-proprietary report "BWRVIP-241NP-A: BWR Vessel and Internals Project, Probabilistic Fracture Mechanics Evaluation for the Boiling Water Reactor Nozzle-to-Vessel Shell Welds and Nozzle Blend Radii," EPRI Technical Report 3002013093NP, is also enclosed. This nonproprietary report is identical to the enclosed proprietary report except that the proprietary information has been deleted and the letters "NP" appear in the BWRVIP report number.

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