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Mr. Nathaniel Scurry Office of Management and Budget Reports Management and Docket Room Room 3201, New Executive Office Building Washington, DC 20503

Dear Mr. Scurry:

In accordance with Section 3507 of Public Law 96-511 of December 11, 1980, and regulations of the Office of Management and Budget, I am enclosing for OMB review the clearance package containing copies of Standard Form-83 and the Supporting Statement for 10 CFR 50.61, Fracture Toughness Requirements for Protection Against Pressurized Thermal Shock.

The estimated annual respondent burden is 7,000 hours.

In accordance with NRC's procedures, my staff has made an independent review of the practical utility and necessity for the proposed information collection and we are in concurrence with this proposal. We have also reviewed for duplication and found no similar requirement in the agency. Therefore, we are transmitting this material for appropriate OMB review and approval.

Sincerely,

Patricia G. Norry, Director Office of Administration

Enclosure: As stated