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Re: VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY (North Anna Nuclear Power Plant, Units 1 and 2) Docket Nos. 50-338 OL and 50-339 OL8

Gentlemen:

On the basis of its preliminary examination of the recent written submissions of the parties, the Appeal Board assigned to the above-styled proceeding has tentatively concluded that there is no necessity for an additional evidentiary hearing on the turbine missile issue which remains open in the proceeding. Absent further word to the contrary, it may be assumed that the issue will be decided by the Board on the record as it now stands, without anything further being required on the part of your clients.

Sincerely,

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cc: Docketing & Service Branch

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