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Mr. Terrence W. Wilcutt, Chief Office of Safety and Mission Assurance National Aeronautics and Space Administration Washington, DC 20546-0001

SUBJECT: INTENT TO PURSUE COLLABORATIVE ACTIVITIES IN SAFETY, RELIABILITY,

AND RISK ANALYSIS METHODS AND APPLICATIONS

Dear Mr. Wilcutt:

Enclosed is a copy of the cosigned Memorandum of Understanding between the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) and the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) concerning the intent to pursue collaborative activities in safety, reliability, and risk analysis methods and applications.

NASA's Office of Safety and Mission Assurance (OSMA) and the NRC's Office of Nuclear Regulatory Research (RES) have benefitted from our collaboration and exchange of ideas over the past twenty years and we look forward to continue working with NASA in the development of safety, reliability, and risk analysis methods, tools, data, and applications.

Enclosure:

As stated

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Sincerely,

Raymond V. Furstenau Director of Nuclear Regulatory Research T. Wilcutt 3

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