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SUBJECT: AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE TO THE INSTITUTE OF ELECTRICAL AND

ELECTRONICS ENGINEERS NUCLEAR POWER ENGINEERING COMMITTEE

Dear Mr. Ayala:

The NRC supports Mr. Richard Stattel, as an authorized NRC representative on the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) Nuclear Power Engineering Committee (NPEC) to represent NPEC Subcommittee 6. Mr. Stattel is a senior electronics engineer and is responsible for performance of technical reviews to support safety evaluations of digital system upgrades for operating nuclear power plants. There is currently no NRC representative for NPEC Subcommittee 6 in this position.

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Thank you very much for providing NRC with the opportunity to participate in the work of the Nuclear Power Engineering Committee.

Sincerely,

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