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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION  
ACT REQUEST  
FOIA-86-751  
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Mr. Donnie H. Grimsley, Director  
Division of Rules and Records  
Office of Administration  
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20555

RE: FOIA Request for ASEP Analyses for NUREG-1150  
for Peach Bottom, LaSalle, Grand Gulf, Surry,  
Sequoyah, and Zion

Dear Mr. Grimsley:

The NRC Staff is sponsoring research at Sandia National Laboratories and elsewhere under the Accident Sequence Evaluation Program (ASEP) which is providing an accident sequence analysis and quantification for six nuclear power plants (Peach Bottom, LaSalle, Grand Gulf, Surry, Sequoyah, and Zion) in preparation for the NUREG-1150 report. NUREG-1150 will be a detailed technical report providing updated risk analyses for these six plants. It is my understanding that this report itself will not propose changes to NRC regulations or regulatory practices. Thus, NUREG-1150 and the various subsidiary documents related to NUREG-1150 may not be claimed to be privileged as "pre-decisionary" documents.

Therefore, pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, please make available single copies of documents in the following categories:

- A. All ASEP reports prepared concerning Peach Bottom, LaSalle, Grand Gulf, Surry, Sequoyah, and Zion.
- B. All documents which interpret the results of these reports or which provide a key which could aid in their interpretation.
- C. All documents which discuss the methodology used to prepare the ASEP reports.

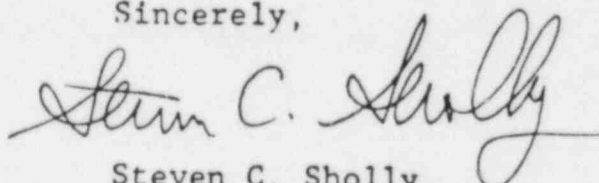
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- D. Copies of all documents presented at meetings at which the ASEP reports or ASEP methodology were discussed.
- E. Copies of all meeting summary documents prepared for meetings at which the ASEP reports or ASEP methodology were discussed.
- F. An identification of the FIN numbers and contractors and principal investigators for all NRC contracts under which the ASEP reports have been created, analyzed, quantified, or assessed.

If there are any questions concerning this request, please do not hesitate to contact me by telephone at (408) 266-2716. I would be pleased to discuss this request with the relevant NRC personnel responsible for overseeing the ASEP contracts if this would serve to better specify the scope of this request and expedite a response thereto. Your attention to this FOIA request is appreciated.

Sincerely,



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