

**NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**

**[NRC-2019-0253]**

**Final Revision to Branch Technical Position 7–19 Guidance for Evaluation of  
Defense in Depth and Diversity to Address Common-Cause Failure Due to Latent  
Design Defects in Digital Safety Systems; Correction**

**AGENCY:** Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

**ACTION:** Standard review plan-final section revision; issuance; correction.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is correcting a notice that was published in the *Federal Register* on January 29, 2021, regarding the final revision to Branch Technical Position (BTP) 7–19, “Guidance for Evaluation of Defense in Depth and Diversity to Address Common-Cause Failure Due to Latent Design Defects in Digital Safety Systems.” This action is necessary to correct the Agency Document Access and Management System (ADAMS) Accession number for the staff responses to public comments on the draft version of BTP 7-19.

**DATES:** The correction takes effect on **February 22, 2021**.

**ADDRESSES:** Please refer to Docket ID **NRC-2019-0253** when contacting the NRC about the availability of information regarding this document. You may obtain publicly available information related to this document using any of the following methods:

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** On January 29, 2021 the NRC issued a notice in the *Federal Register* for the final revision of BTP 7-19 (86 FR 7577). The notice included the incorrect ADAMS Accession Number for the BTP 7-19, Revision 8, public comment resolution document. This document corrects the ADAMS Accession Number

for the BTP 7-19, Revision 8, public comment resolution document. The public comment resolution document is available in ADAMS under Accession No. ML20339A646.

Dated: February 16, 2021.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

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