

## UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 205555-0001

July 15, 2021

The Honorable Thomas R. Carper Chairman, Committee on Environment and Public Works United States Senate Washington, DC 20510

Dear Mr. Chairman:

On behalf of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, as required by Section 103(e) of the Nuclear Energy Innovation and Modernization Act, I am submitting the enclosed report on efforts "to complete a rulemaking to establish a technology-inclusive regulatory framework for optional use by commercial advanced nuclear reactor technologies in new reactor licensing applications and to enhance Commission expertise relating to advanced nuclear reactor technologies."

Please feel free to contact me or have your staff contact Eugene Dacus, Director of the Office of Congressional Affairs, at (301) 415-1776, if you have questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

Christopher T. Hanson

Enclosure: As stated

cc: Senator Shelley Moore Capito

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