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Submittal of X Energy, LLC (X-energy) Xe-100 Licensing Topical Report GOTHIC and Flownex Analysis Codes Qualification

The purpose of this letter is to submit the subject Licensing Topical Report to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) on behalf of X Energy, LLC (X-energy). This Licensing Topical Report provides the theory associated with GOTHIC and Flownex base models, and the specific theory utilized for analyses of the Xe-100 reactor technology. It is provided for NRC review and approval as indicated in the report and is expected to be referenced in future Xe-100 licensing applications. The specific review schedule will continue to be developed with X-energy's NRC project manager. X-energy has determined this report is available for unrestricted release.

This letter contains no commitments. If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact Jessica Maddocks at jmaddocks@x-energy.com.

Sincerely,

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## **Enclosures:**

1) "Xe-100 Licensing Topical Report GOTHIC and Flownex Analysis Code Qualification" (Public)

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