

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555-0001

November 9, 2023

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 (NRC), I am transmitting the status report on NRC licensing activities and regulatory duties for the fourth guarter in Fiscal Year 2023 in response to the revised requirements noted in the September 26, 2019, letter from the Committee on Environment and Public Works and Subcommittee on Clean Air and Nuclear Safety. This report reflects information for the reporting period of July 1, 2023, through September 30, 2023.

Enclosure 1 provides a high-level graphical summary illustrating the NRC's overall performance in the areas of licensing, inspection activities, workforce development and management, and financial administration. Enclosure 2 provides the status of specific items of interest, including a summary of the item, the activities planned and accomplished within the reporting period, and projected activities for the next two reporting periods. Finally, Enclosure 3 provides data and additional information associated with the NRC's licensing activities and regulatory duties. If you have any questions, please contact me, or have your staff contact Eugene Dacus, Director of the Office of Congressional Affairs, at (301) 415-1776.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures: As stated

cc: Senator Shelley Moore Capito

Identical letter sent to:

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The Honorable Cathy McMorris Rodgers Chair, Committee on Energy and Commerce United States House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515 cc: Representative Frank Pallone, Jr.