



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

July 16, 2025

The Honorable Shelley Moore Capito  
Chairman, Committee on Environment  
and Public Works  
United States Senate  
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairman Capito:

In the absence of a Chairman, I am transmitting on behalf of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) the second quarter of fiscal year 2025 status report on NRC licensing activities and regulatory duties, as approved by the Commission. This report is 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 January 1, 2025, through March 31, 2025. The NRC is actively working towards being responsive to the letter dated May 1, 2025, which requests revisions to the report to improve its usefulness and increase transparency into how the NRC is fulfilling its licensing responsibilities and regulatory duties. Further, the revisions will underscore the NRC's ongoing efforts to modernize, including implementing the Accelerating Deployment of Versatile, Advanced Nuclear for Clean Energy (ADVANCE) Act of 2024. The agency intends to make these revisions in the next quarterly report; this is the final report with the existing format and information.

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,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Annie Caputo", is written over a horizontal line.

Annie Caputo

Enclosure:  
As stated

cc: Senator Sheldon Whitehouse

Identical letter sent to:

The Honorable Shelley Moore Capito  
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Washington, DC 20510  
cc: Senator Sheldon Whitehouse

The Honorable Cynthia Lummis  
Chairman, Subcommittee on Clean Air, Climate,  
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Washington, DC 20510  
cc: Senator Mark Kelly

The Honorable Brett Guthrie  
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United States House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20515  
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