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Subject: Final Safety Evaluation for Sargent Lundy LLC Nuclear Quality Assurance Program Topical Report Revision 28
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Attachments: Final SE for SL QATR Revision 28 (EPID L-2025-TOP-0027).pdf

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Dear James McIntyre,

By letter dated July 15, 2025 (Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) Accession No. ML25183A273), Sargent & Lundy, LLC (S&L) submitted proposed Revision 28 to Topical Report (TR) SL-TR-1, "Nuclear Quality Assurance Program," for the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) staff's review and approval. By letter dated August 11, 2025, the NRC staff issued its draft safety evaluation (SE) (ML25210A364 and ML25210A365).

S&L provided comments on the draft SE by letter dated August 15, 2025 (ML25238A083).

The NRC staff has found the TR acceptable for referencing in licensing applications for nuclear power plants to the extent specified and under the limitations delineated in the TR and in the enclosed SE. The final SE defines the basis for our acceptance of the TR.

Our acceptance applies only to material provided in the subject TR. We do not intend to repeat our review of the accepted material described in the TR. When the TR appears as a reference in license applications, our review will ensure that the material presented applies to the specific plant involved. License amendment requests that deviate from this TR will be subject to a plant-specific review in accordance with applicable review standards.

In accordance with the guidance provided on the NRC website, we request that S&L publish an accepted version of the TR by October 31, 2025, in accordance with the schedule outlined in the acceptance email (ML25211A151). The accepted version shall incorporate this email and the enclosed SE after the title page.

Both this email and the final SE have been placed in ADAMS, made Official Agency Records, and declared public.

Also, the accepted versions must contain historical review information, including NRC requests for additional information and responses. The accepted versions shall include a "A" (designating approved) following the TR identification symbol.

If future changes to the NRC's regulatory requirements affect the acceptability of this TR, S&L will be expected to revise the TR appropriately. Licensees referencing this TR would be expected to justify its continued applicability or evaluate their plant using the revised TR.

If you have any questions, please contact the Project Manager for the review, Jeffery Smith at 301-415-4116 or via electronic mail at Jeffery.Smith@NRC.gov.

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Very respectfully,

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