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MEMORANDUM TO: Marsha Gamberoni, Deputy Director
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SUBJECT: APRIL 29, 2003, AP1000 TELEPHONE CONFERENCE CALL
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The following is a brief summary of the discussions regarding the staff's questions:

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The NRC staff discussed their question regarding why the Atmospheric Dispersion Factors (X/Q) for the control room were not provided in DCD Tier 1 Table 5.0-1, "Site Parameters." Westinghouse understood the staff's question and agreed to research the basis for not providing the control room X/Q values in the table. It was also agreed that this issue would become an open item in the staff's DSER.

The NRC staff discussed their question regarding whether Westinghouse calculated the 788 kg of hydrogen in DCD Tier 2 Appendix 19D by using 100 percent of the active fuel clad oxidation or by using the total zirconium in the core. Westinghouse clarified that they used the total zirconium in the core to calculate the 788 kg of Hydrogen discussed in the DCD. This clarification resolved the staff's question.

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