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Subject: WCAP-15488, "Topical Report on the MAAP5 PWR Large Dry Containment Model"

The purpose of this letter is to inform the NRC that Westinghouse has decided to withdraw WCAP-15844, entitled "Topical Report on the MAAP5 PWR Large Dry Containment Model" based on an extended review period required by the staff due to the complexity of the technical phenomena. This extended review period would not be consistent with the current schedules defined by our customers.

Based on the extended review required and the schedule constraints, Westinghouse requests that this topical report be withdrawn from the docket and no further review action be undertaken by the NRC staff. Please return all copies of the MAAP5 topical by receipt of this letter.

If there are any questions, please contact John DeBlasio or the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'H. A. Sepp'.

H. A. Sepp, Manager
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