

August 16, 2006

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SUBJECT: SUBMITTAL OF HEMATITE DECOMMISSIONING PLAN AND SUPPORTING
DOCUMENTATION, JUNE 19, 2006

Dear Mr. Hackman:

By letter dated June 19, 2006, Westinghouse Electric Company LLC (WEC) stated that it is resubmitting the Hematite Decommissioning Plan (DP) and supporting documentation to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) Document Control Administrator. However, on June 27, 2006, the Document Control Desk rejected your electronic Compact Disk (CD) submissions. The technical reasons for rejection are enclosed. Please refer to the guidance provided by NRC to WEC on December 8, 2005 (ML053260352) pertaining to electronic submittals, which also addresses submittal of CDs. If you do not wish to resubmit the DP in CD format, you may submit paper copies of the DP to the NRC Document Control Desk. Please resubmit the DP, Rev. 3, and all supporting documents, using either method as described above within 30 calendar days of the date of this letter.

In addition, in its June 19, 2006 letter, WEC indicated that it will provide a separate response to the NRC letter, dated May 1, 2006, summarizing the January 25, 2006 meeting. Please note that the letter is a Meeting Summary Report, required by NRC Decommissioning Directorate procedures and requires no response.

Also, in attachment 1 of the WEC June 19, 2006 letter, WEC indicated that a detailed cost estimate to support the funding level was prepared and already submitted to the NRC under separate cover. NRC received the Decommissioning Funding Plan that includes the detailed cost estimate on July 19, 2006. Staff will be reviewing this Funding Plan over the next 45 days in conjunction with the review of the Westinghouse Application for Consent to Indirect Change of Control with Respect to Materials Licenses, Quality Assurance Program Approvals and Certificates of Compliance (TAC L31948). Although the Hematite Decommissioning Funding Plan might be acceptable for the indirect change of control licensing action, it may not be detailed enough with regard to approving the Decommissioning Plan for incorporation into Materials License Number SNM-00033. Therefore, in the future, as part of the DP review, we may have additional questions related to the Decommissioning Funding Plan. In either case, if we have questions, we will notify WEC through our request for information process.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at (301) 415 - 8580 or by e-mail at ams3@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,

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