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Kirk, Mark

From: Kirk, Mark
Sent: Friday, October 26, 2012 9:37 AM
To: Nove, Carol; Stevens, Gary
Subject: RE: Nondestructive Examination of VB395 block

I understand.

May I suggest that a follow-up e-mail would be in order.

Since you agreed with my assessment of the report, I think it would be good to demonstrate to the Belgians that we have read and understood the information they have provided us.

Would you agree to send a follow-on e-mail asking about the availability of material from the remainder of the steam generator shell for testing? This could be seen as an alternative, a "Plan B" if you will ... a Plan to which it might be much easier for them to agree to.

I think we should structure the question in a manner that promotes the answer we want ... which is to get some material.

From: Nove, Carol
Sent: Friday, October 26, 2012 9:33 AM
To: Kirk, Mark; Stevens, Gary
Subject: RE: Nondestructive Examination of VB395 block

Already sent...

I'll be surprised if I get anything more back from them than "no can do" and that is fine...my aim was to follow through on Jennifer's request and put the thought in their minds that we might want some material here in the US to do some testing.

-----Original Message-----

From: Kirk, Mark
Sent: Friday, October 26, 2012 9:26 AM
To: Nove, Carol; Stevens, Gary
Subject: RE: Nondestructive Examination of VB395 block

Carol -

Sorry, I missed this in the flurry of e-mails about FOIA sent yesterday.

I do not think that you should send this e-mail.

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From: Nove, Carol
Sent: Thursday, October 25, 2012 2:49 PM
To: Stevens, Gary; Kirk, Mark
Subject: Nondestructive Examination of VB395 block

Gary and Mark,

Before I send the following off to my WG secretary and chair, I would appreciate your feedback as to whether you think I have done an adequate job at pushing for more NDE or other material per our meeting with Jennifer this morning.

Thanks,
Carol

Dear Frederik and Andre,

It was a pleasure to meet you both last week. I learned a great deal at our meeting, and found the discussions to be very interesting.

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Lastly, when will the presentations from WG1 will be available to us? I would like to be able to share some of the NDE images as well as flaw size distributions with my colleagues here at the NRC.

Thank you very much,
Carol Nove