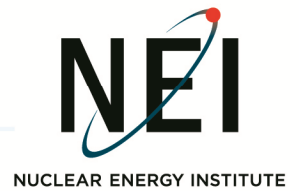


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Washington, DC 20555-0001

Subject: Endorsement of NEI 07-01, "Development of Emergency Action Levels for Passive Reactors," Revision 1, Dated December 2013

Project Number: 689

Dear Mr. Lewis:

The Nuclear Energy Institute (NEI)¹ and an industry task force have developed and are seeking NRC endorsement of NEI 07-01, "Development of Emergency Action Levels for Passive Reactors," Revision 1, dated December 2013. This revision addresses operating experience from implementing activities associated with Revision 0 of the document. It also incorporates relevant material from NEI 99-01, "Development of Emergency Action Levels for Non-Passive Reactors," Revision 6. A copy of the document is attached to facilitate your review.

¹ The Nuclear Energy Institute (NEI) is the organization responsible for establishing unified industry policy on matters affecting the nuclear energy industry, including the regulatory aspects of generic operational and technical issues. NEI's members include all entities licensed to operate commercial nuclear power plants in the United States, nuclear plant designers, major architect/engineering firms, fuel cycle facilities, nuclear materials licensees, and other organizations and entities involved in the nuclear energy industry.

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The two facilities most affected by this document revision in the near-term are the Virgil C. Summer Nuclear Station (for units 2 and 3) and the Vogtle Electric Generating Plant (for units 3 and 4). Based on schedule-related discussions with personnel at both of these sites, we request that the endorsement of NEI 07-01, Revision 1, be completed by December 31, 2014.

Please contact David Young at (202) 739-8127 or dly@nei.org if you require additional information concerning this transmittal.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Susan Perkins-Grew". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Susan" being more prominent.

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Attachment

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