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Hi John:

As we discussed Strata has reviewed NRC staff comments on our response to preoperational License Condition 12.4 regarding supervised inspections by a Qualified Designated Operator (QDO). In our response dated July 1 we were unclear regarding NRC comments on the number of inspections that a QDO would perform with the RSO and unsupervised. After our discussion, Strata understands NRC's interpretation and would like to confirm the following:

1. The QDO will accompany the RSO on at least five inspections where the RSO is the inspector. This conforms to the language contained on our initial response to this LC dated March 31, 2015.
2. Following completion of these inspections where the RSO the inspector, the QDO will complete four inspections as the inspector with the RSO supervising. This replaces the three unsupervised inspections originally proposed by Strata.
3. As a result of these changes Strata does not see any need to require unsupervised inspections as originally proposed since the RSO will always review and assess the accuracy of inspections conducted by QDOs.

Please let me know if further clarification is needed.

Thanks
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