

From: [Dentel, Glenn](#)
To: [Paul](#)
Subject: RE: Re: Baffle bolts
Date: Thursday, October 20, 2016 1:34:13 PM

Mr. Blanch,

The NRC reviewed the RCE document while on site in June of 2016 but did not take possession of this document.

You are welcome to ask Entergy, the owner of the document, if they will share the document (or a summary of the document) with you.

As you are probably aware, the NRC has the 50.72 report that provides a high level summary of the events available for review by the general public. The NRC has also provided additional information regarding the degradation of the IP2 baffle bolts and impact on IP3 in our quarterly resident inspector report (ML# 16243A245).

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Subject: [External_Sender] Re: Baffle bolts

Thank you. Is this RCE document publicly available? If so, how can I get a copy?

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On Oct 20, 2016, at 8:58 AM, Dentel, Glenn <Glenn.Dentel@nrc.gov> wrote:

Mr. Blanch,

Entergy's root cause of the baffle bolt degradation was completed in May 2016. The Root Cause Evaluation (RCE) was reviewed by NRC and the results of the review were documented in the 2nd quarter Baseline Inspection Report which is publicly available.

Entergy is presently awaiting the results of non-destructive testing (NDT) on a

sample of the baffle bolts that were removed from Unit 2. When the results are available, Entergy may amend their RCE to incorporate insights from the NDT.

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Brian, Glen

Has Entergy initiated and completed its Root Cause Analysis on the bolt failures?
I believe this to be a requirement of Appendix B and Entergy's procedures.

Paul

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