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Subject: Supplement for request for changes to NBSR Technical Specifications to allow low power testing.

Ref: Docket 50-184, TR-5 Facility License

Sirs/Madams:

On November 20, 2017, NCNR sent a request for subsequent changes regarding our license amendment request of March 2, 2017. After discussions with NRC staff, we are withdrawing our request for proposed changes to technical specifications 3.7.1(3) and 3.9.2.1. In addition, we are requesting that the word "and" appear between Specifications 3.3.2(1) and 3.3.2(2). Please contact me at (301) 975-6260 if you have any questions.

Respectfully,

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**I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.**

**Executed on December 14, 2017**

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