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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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Subject: NRC Bulletin No. 90-02: Loss of Thermal Margin Caused by Channel
Box Bow

Gentlemen:

NRC Bulletin No. 90-02 requested that NPPD determine whether any channel boxes are being reused after their first bundle lifetime and, if so, ensure that the effects of channel box bow on the critical power ratio (CPR) calculations are properly taken into account. NPPD uses channel boxes for only one bundle lifetime and, thus, is not subject to the reporting requirements specified by NRC Bulletin No 90-02.

Sincerely,

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