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Mr. Thomas

Thank you for your response to my letter of February 13th regarding questions about the SNEC plant. I have some additional questions I want to ask.

- ① You stated in your reply that it is not NRC staff practice to recommend to a licensee a general or specific waiting period before beginning dismantling of a mothballed reactor. Does the NRC staff or Commissioners have any policy as to what time period a plant should remain mothballed before being dismantled?
- ② What specific procedures and requirements must a licensee meet for NRC approval of the dismantling of a nuclear plant?
 - a. Does the NRC have any specific requirements that a licensee must meet in the selection of a contractor (s) to perform the dismantling?
- ③ To what extent does the NRC oversee the actual physical dismantling of a nuclear plant?
 - a. Specifically, can you tell me the extent of the NRC inspection during dismantling should APD decide to dismantle the SNEC reactor within this decade?

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