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MEMORANDUM TO: Omar López-Santiago, Chief
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FROM: Alina Schiller, Project Manager
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Signed by Schiller, Alina
on 02/02/21

SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF A PUBLIC MEETING WITH SOUTHERN NUCLEAR
OPERATING COMPANY ON JANUARY 28, 2021

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) staff held a Category 1 public meeting with Southern Nuclear Operating Company (SNC) on January 28, 2021. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the Vogtle Electric Generating Plant (VEGP), Units 3 and 4, proposed alternative requirements for American Society of Mechanical Engineers Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code (ASME Code) Section XI, "Examination Coverage of Weldolet Branch Connection Welds," (VEGP 3&4-PSI/ISI-ALT-15).

The meeting notice can be found in the Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) under Accession No. ML21022A391. The meeting notice is also posted on the NRC public website. Enclosures 1 and 2 are the meeting agenda and attendance list for the meeting, respectively. The document referenced during the discussion can be found under ADAMS Accession No. ML21025A042.

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Summary of Meeting

The NRC staff is reviewing proposed alternative VEGP 3&4-PSI/ISI-ALT-15 (ADAMS Accession No. ML20358A178) and provided SNC with a list of clarification items (ADAMS Accession No. ML21025A042). The NRC staff began the discussion by providing a brief summary of SNC's alternative request.

SNC proceeded with the following clarifications in response to the NRC staff's Item 1:

- SNC described the ultrasonic inspection angles, frequencies, wave modes, and skew angles for the examinations shown in Figures 1-5.
- SNC clarified/confirmed that Figure 2 is the best effort/augmented coverage for the axial scan, and Figure 5 is the best effort/augmented coverage for the circumferential scan.

In order to clarify Figures 1-5, SNC stated it would send a supplement to the alternative request including the addition of the information that is not clearly specified/identified in Figures 1-5, related to the inspection angles, frequency, wave modes, and transducers.

At the conclusion of the open session of the meeting, there was an opportunity for the public to provide comments and ask questions. There were no comments or questions from the public.

After the public portion of the meeting, the NRC staff continued discussions with SNC during a closed meeting to discuss proprietary information related to Item 2.

Docket Nos.: 52-025
52-026

Enclosures:
As stated

**AGENDA FOR PUBLIC MEETING
U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION (NRC)
Thursday, January 28, 2021
Teleconference
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.**

PURPOSE: To discuss issues associated with the safety review of licensing actions and/or Inspections, Tests, Analyses, and Acceptance Criteria (ITAAC) closures for Southern Nuclear Operating Company's (SNC) Vogtle Electric Generating Plant (VEGP) Units 3 and 4.

OPEN

<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Led By</u>
9:00 a.m.	Opening Remarks	NRC
9:10 a.m.	Discussion of Identified Topics	NRC/SNC
	Opportunity for Public Comment	NRC/Public
	Open Portion Concludes	

<u>CLOSED</u>	(If needed)	NRC/SNC
12:00 p.m.	Adjourn	

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List of Attendees

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John Honcharik Stephen Cumblidge Matthew Mitchell	NRR/DNRL
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Note: All participated via teleconference.

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