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ATTN: Document Control Desk
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555-0001

Subject: UniStar Nuclear Energy, NRC Docket No. 52-016
Request to Suspend Review of Calvert Cliffs Unit 3 Combined License
Application

- References:
- 1) AREVA Letter to NRC, NRC:15:010, Pedro Salas to NRC Document Control Desk, Request to Suspend Review of the U.S. EPR Design Certification, dated February 25, 2015
 - 2) UNE Letter to NRC, UN#14-080, Mark T. Finley to NRC Document Control Desk, Updated Guidance for Management of Resources, dated December 16, 2014

Due to the recent suspension of NRC review activities for the U.S. EPR Design Certification Application per Reference 1, UniStar Nuclear Energy (UNE) requests that NRC suspend review activities for the Calvert Cliffs Unit 3 Combined License Application (COLA). The Calvert Cliffs Unit 3 COLA references the AREVA U.S. EPR Design Certification in its application. The Calvert Cliffs Unit 3 COLA cannot be approved and issued by NRC until after the EPR Design Certification is approved and issued. Therefore, we have decided to suspend activities supporting the Calvert Cliffs Unit 3 COLA until further notice.

UNE and Electricite de France (EDF) will continue to monitor the U.S. EPR Design Certification efforts, as well as other project conditions such as foreign ownership guidance, loan guarantee availability and the electricity market, among others. UNE does not plan to respond to any Requests for Additional Information that have not been responded to at this point until after a decision to resume activities is made.

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Reference 2 provided guidance for the management of resources for the Calvert Cliffs Unit 3 COLA and this letter supersedes Reference 2. UNE requests that NRC suspend all reviews supporting the Calvert Cliffs Unit 3 COLA in an expeditious manner and document the review performed to date. This includes Environmental reviews and the work of any NRC subcontractors. Based on Reference 2, active NRC reviews were to end in January 2015, so that our expectation is that suspending NRC review activities at this point will not require significant effort. UNE further requests that NRC post no new charges to the Calvert Cliffs Unit 3 docket after March 6, 2015 unless specifically authorized by UNE.

This letter does not include any new regulatory commitments. This letter does not contain any sensitive or proprietary information.

We are available to meet with you in person, if desired, to clarify any questions you may have regarding suspension of the review of the Calvert Cliffs Unit 3 COLA. If there are any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (410) 369-1907.

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

Executed on February 27, 2015

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