

# UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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MEMORANDUM TO: Michael I. Dudek, Chief

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SUBJECT: U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION SUMMARY OF

THE AUGUST 31, 2022, PREAPPLICATION PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS SMR, LLC QUESTIONS REGARDING LOSS-OF-

**COOLANT ANALYSIS** 

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) held a preapplication public meeting on August 31, 2022, with SMR, LLC (SMR), a Holtec International company, to discuss questions regarding the loss-of-coolant analysis (LOCA) to support the construction permit application of the SMR-160 design. Specifically, SMR (applicant) requested to discuss with the staff the applicable large break LOCA regulations, definitions, guidance, and information on its previously submitted and subsequently withdrawn topical report.<sup>1</sup>

This hybrid preapplication meeting had in-person and virtual attendees from SMR, LLC, Holtec International, LLC, and the NRC. There were no members of the public observing the meeting.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> SMR, LLC, "Preapplication Meeting Materials for August 31, 2022 (Project No. 99902049)," dated August 24, 2022. Agencywide Document Access and Management System (ADAMS) Accession No. ML 22236A529.

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The NRC issued the public meeting notice on August 16, 2022, and posted it on the NRC public website.<sup>2</sup> The presentation slides for the meeting were also made available prior to the meeting on the NRC public website.<sup>1</sup>

Enclosed are the meeting agenda (Enclosure 1), list of participants for the meeting (Enclosure 2), and a summary of the meeting (Enclosure 3).

Docket No. 99902049

#### Enclosures:

- 1. Meeting Agenda
- 2. List of Attendees
- 3. Meeting Summary

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> U.S. NRC, "8/31/2022 Notice of Preapplication Meeting with Holtec International, LLC, regarding Loss-of-Coolant Analyses to support the Construction Permit for the Holtec SMR-160 design," dated August 16, 2022. ADAMS Accession No. ML22235A111.

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AUGUST 31, 2022, OBSERVATION PREAPPLICATION PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS SMR, LLC QUESTIONS REGARDING LOSS-OF-COOLANT ANALYSIS

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