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As vice president of Nuclear Power Plants Regulatory Affairs and Standardization, Ed Cummins is responsible for the licensing and standardization of the AP1000.

Mr. Cummins has spent his 30-year Westinghouse career in a variety of assignments in project management, engineering management and new plant design. Prior to joining Westinghouse in 1976, he served seven years in the U.S. Navy with assignments in engineering and operations on two nuclear powered submarines. Mr. Cummins' first assignments in Westinghouse were in the Power Systems Projects Division as a project engineer and then engineering manager for the turnkey project implementation of the Krsko Project in Yugoslavia. In 1982, he joined the Preheat Steam Generator Task Force as project manager for the counter-

flow preheat steam generator effort.

In late 1983, Mr. Cummins returned to turnkey project business as Project Deputy Director for the Philippine nuclear project. Following the completion of the Philippine plant construction, he served as program manager to develop a standard 1000MW plant design and cost estimate to be used for international turnkey opportunities in the mid-1980s.

In 1985, Mr. Cummins joined the Plant Engineering Division as a Department Manager responsible for nuclear mechanical equipment, materials and fossil plant engineering. In 1988 and 1989, he was responsible for the project management, project development, financing, and contracts structure for a Westinghouse-owned gas turbine combined cycle project in Mojave, Calif.

In 1990, Mr. Cummins joined the AP600 project development team as manager of Balance of Plant Design. He served in various program and design management positions on the AP600, including Project Manager for the First of a Kind Engineering Program. In 1997, Mr. Cummins became General Manager of the New Plant Projects Division, assuming responsibility for the marketing and project implementation for new nuclear plant projects.

Mr. Cummins holds a Bachelor of Science Degree from the U.S. Naval Academy, a Master of Science Degree in Engineering Applied Science from the University of California, Davis, Livermore and a Master of Business Administration from Duquesne University.