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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, dated 4 February 2025, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of the United States of America.

Title: Draft Regulatory Guide: Acceptability of ASME Code, Section III, Division 5, "High Temperature Reactors"

Reason for Addendum:	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Comment period changed - date: 26 February 2025
<input type="checkbox"/>	Notified measure adopted - date:
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Content or scope of notified measure changed and text available from ¹ : New deadline for comments (if applicable):
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Description: On 13 December 2024, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) solicited comments on draft Regulatory Guide (DG) DG-1436, "Acceptability of ASME Code, Section III, Division 5, 'High Temperature Reactors.'" The public comment period closed on 27 January 2025. The NRC has decided to reopen the public comment period to allow more time for members of the public to develop and submit their comments.

The comment period for the document published on 13 December 2024 ([89 FR 100921](#)) has been reopened. Comments should be submitted no later than 26 February 2025. Comments received after this date will be considered, if it is practical to do so, but the NRC is able to ensure consideration only for comments received on or before this date.

90 Federal Register (FR) 8782, 3 February 2025; [Title 10](#) Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Parts [50](#) and [52](#):

<https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2025-02-03/html/2025-02036.htm>

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¹ This information can be provided by including a website address, a pdf attachment, or other information on where the text of the final/modified measure and/or interpretive guidance can be obtained.

This reopening of comment period and the draft guide; request for comment notified as [G/TBT/N/USA/2169](#) are identified by Docket Number NRC-2024-0203. The Docket Folder is available on Regulations.gov at <https://www.regulations.gov/docket/NRC-2024-0203/document> and provides access to primary documents as well as comments received. Documents are also accessible from [Regulations.gov](#) by searching the Docket Number. WTO Members and their stakeholders are asked to submit comments to the [USA TBT Enquiry Point](#) by or before [4pm Eastern Time](#) on 26 February 2025. Comments received by the USA TBT Enquiry Point from WTO Members and their stakeholders will be shared with NRC and will also be submitted to the [Docket](#) on Regulations.gov if received within the comment period.
