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17	Appendix A, Requirement 1	Requirement 1, 201 General, add (c) quality achievement is verified by those not directly responsible for performing the work
19-35	Appendix A, Requirement 2	Requirement 2, 100 General, deletion of "The program shall identify the activities and items to which it applies."
45	Appendix A, Requirement 3	Requirement 3, revise first paragraph "The design shall be defined, controlled, and verified."
52-53	Appendix A, Requirement 3	Requirement 3, 500 Design Verification, revise and add to (a) paragraph "This verification may be performed by the originator's supervisor, provided (1) the supervisor did not specify a singular design approach or rule out certain design considerations and did not establish the design inputs used in the design; or (2) the supervisor is the only individual in the

organization competent to perform the verification. cursory supervisory reviews do not satisfy the intent of this Standard.”

- 109 Appendix A, Requirement 12 Requirement 12, 303 Control, delete paragraph “Methods and frequency of checking accuracy shall be defined in procedures.”
- 123 Appendix A, Requirement 17 Requirement 17, Sub-Section 100 General delete 4th paragraph “The term records, used throughout this section, is to be interpreted as quality assurance records.”
- 6 References Updated NQA titles as shown here:
- ASME NQA-1 Part IV, SUBPART 4.1.1 Guidance to Modification of an ISO 9001:2008, Quality Management Systems Standard for Compliance With NQA-1–2008, Part I With the NQA-1a–2009 Addenda
- ASME NQA-1 Part IV, SUBPART 4.1.4 Guidance to Modification of an IAEA GS-R-3 Quality Program to Meet NQA-1a–2009 Requirements and Modification of an NQA-1a–2009 Quality Program to Meet IAEA GS-R-3 Requirements

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FOREWORD

This technical report was developed to comprehensively evaluate the following international quality standards: ASME NQA-1 “Quality Assurance Requirements for Nuclear Facility Application-Edition 2012” [1], NQA NSQ-100 “Nuclear Safety and Quality Management System Requirements” [2], IAEA GS-R-3: 2006 “The Management System for Facilities and Activities” [3], and ISO 9001:2008 “Quality Management Systems Requirements” [4]. The report discusses the competitive strengths and weaknesses of these documents.

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