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**PUBLIC COMMENT ON THE ALLEGATIONS PROGRAM UNDER THE
NEW REGULATORY OVERSIGHT PROGRAM**

Dear Mr. Meyer:

Virginia Power appreciates the opportunity to comment on the restructuring of the Allegations Program under the New Reactor Oversight Process. The request for comment appeared in the Federal Register, Vol. 65, No. 27, on Wednesday, February 9, 2000, pages 6399-6401.

Virginia Power endorses the comments submitted by the Nuclear Energy Institute (NEI). We are pleased with the NRC's extensive effort to risk-inform regulations so that regulation more effectively focuses on safety and resources are used more efficiently.

The following individuals are available to answer any questions or provide clarification concerning Virginia Power's comments:

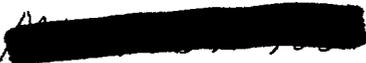
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