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Chairman Richard A. Meserve U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, DC 20555

Dear Chairman Meserve:

The purpose of this letter is to inform you that I have requested that the NRC Inspector General include in his ongoing investigation of Indian Point 2 a thorough examination of the adequacy of the current NRC review of the proposal to restart operations at the facility. My purpose in doing so is to ensure that there is no inappropriate staff conduct as the agency considers this proposal, a concern which I feel is justified in light of previous instances of inadequate NRC staff oversight at Indian Point 2.

I believe it imperative that the agency's final decision on the restart proposal be delayed until information from the Inspector General's investigation is fully developed and reviewed. I request once again that you postpone the agency's decision until this investigation is complete.

Sincerely,

Sue W. Kelly
Member of Congress

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