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Please feel free to contact me or Mark Thaggard of my staff for any further assistance or if you have any questions.

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Draft Technical Evaluation Report

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