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Nonetheless, I am pleased to inform you that the daily plant status report -- renamed the Power Reactor Status Report -- has been restored to the NRC web site as of March 15, 2002. You will notice that certain information from the earlier report has been eliminated for security reasons. The Power Reactor Status Report can be accessed at: <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/event-status/reactor-status>. The events reports will be restored at a later date.

The NRC recognizes that the absence of some information from our web site may cause disruption in the daily activities of individuals like yourself. I want to assure you that we are doing everything we can to restore information to the new web site as expeditiously as possible. If you have any further questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

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