

September 10, 2002

Mr. Anthony R. Pietrangelo, Director  
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Dear Mr. Pietrangelo:

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This completes our review of TSTF-430, Revision 0. Please contact me at (301) 415-1156 or e-mail [rlid@nrc.gov](mailto:rlid@nrc.gov) if you have any questions or need further information on this disposition.

Sincerely,

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