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Mr. Charles Peterson
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Dear Mr. Peterson:

Enclosed please find the review of "Corrosion of Zircaloy Spent Fuel Cladding in a Repository," which was done as a milestone for the laboratory testing project on the Corrosion Behavior of Zircaloy Nuclear Fuel Cladding.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

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