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SUBJECT: LEHIGH UNIVERSITY, REVIEW OF FINANCIAL ASSURANCE SUBMITTAL,
CONTROL NO. 137193

Dear Dr. Freeman:

We have reviewed the facsimile transmission form dated August 1, 2005, submitted by Barbara Plohocki, Ph.D. to meet the financial assurance requirements for your license. The form enclosed a blank Specimen Certificate of Events. We have no further questions at this time.

The following documents currently provide your financial assurance:

Certification of Financial Assurance with letter dated December 16, 2002
Escrow Agreement dated August 15, 2002
Standby Trust Agreement dated August 30, 2002 and amended March 31, 2004 and
August 1, 2005

Please ensure that this accounting is accurate and that any changes to these documents are submitted and reviewed by the NRC as required.

An environmental assessment for this action is not required, since this action is categorically excluded under 10 CFR 51.22(c)(14).

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Sincerely,

Original signed by Elizabeth Ullrich

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