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SUBJECT: RESPONSE TO NRC INSPECTION REPORT 070-00754/05-002 AND NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Dear Mr. Turner:

Thank you for your letter dated September 30, 2005, in response to our letter and Notice of Violation dated September 2, 2005. We have reviewed your reply and find it responsive to our concerns. We will review the implementation of your corrective actions during a future inspection to determine that full compliance has been achieved and will be maintained.

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Sincerely,

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