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**NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**  
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SUBJECT: DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY, REVIEW OF FINANCIAL ASSURANCE  
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Dear Mr. Brandler:

We have reviewed your letter dated August 8, 2005, to meet the financial assurance for decommissioning requirements for your license. We have no further questions at this time.

The originals of superceded documents will be returned to you under separate correspondence.

The following documents currently provide your financial assurance for your licensed activities:

Certification of Financial Assurance dated August 8, 2005 [ML052240303]  
Statement of Intent August 8, 2005 [ML052240303]

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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