

January 13, 2006

Mr. Daniel J. Metcalfe, Director  
Office of Information and Privacy  
Department of Justice  
1310 G Street NW, Suite 570  
Washington, D.C. 20005

Dear Mr. Metcalfe:

On behalf of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), I am responding to the December 30, 2005 letter from Mr. Joel Kaplan, Deputy Director, Office of Management and Budget, entitled "Implementation of the President's Executive Order 'Improving Agency Disclosure of Information.'" I have designated Ms. Jacqueline E. Silber, Deputy Executive Director for Information Services and Administration, as NRC's Chief Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Officer in accordance with Executive Order 13392, "Improving Agency Disclosure of Information." Ms. Silber may be reached at 301-415-7443.

Sincerely,

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cc: J. Kaplan, OMB