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In the Matter of
SYSTEM ENERGY RESOURCES, INC.
(Early Site Permit for Grand Gulf ESP Site)
Docket No. 52-009-ESP

Dear Administrative Judges:

In its May 1, 2006 Motion for Reconsideration and Clarification of the Board's Order (Request for Documents and Briefing) of April 19, 2006, the NRC staff indicated that it would provide copies of the staff's Safety Evaluation Report (SER) and Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS) to the Board promptly upon completion of an electronic copy of the SER. In addition, the staff indicated that when it provided the SER and FEIS to the Board, it would also provide the Board with copies of an Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards (ACRS) letter on the SER dated April 14, 2006. In accordance with the staff's motion, enclosed are four paper copies and one electronic copy of the following documents: (1) NUREG-1840, "Safety Evaluation Report for an Early Site Permit (ESP) at the Grand Gulf Site," dated April 2006; (2) NUREG-1817, "Environmental Impact Statement for an Early Site Permit (ESP) at the Grand Gulf ESP Site," Final Report, April 2006; and (3) a letter from Dr. Graham B. Wallis, Chairman, ACRS, to Luis A. Reyes, Executive Director for Operations, NRC, dated April 14, 2006.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures: As stated

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