

September 8, 2006

Olena Mykolaichuk, Chairman
State Nuclear Regulatory Committee of Ukraine
9/11 Arsenalna Street
Kyiv 01011
Ukraine

Dear Chairman Mykolaichuk:

Thank you for the kind words in your July 6, 2006, letter on my recent appointment as the Chairman of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission. I look forward to continuing the long and productive relationship that has evolved between our two agencies. We will have an opportunity to begin our work together when we meet at the General Conference in Vienna later this month.

Sincerely,

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Dale E. Klein