

January 22, 2008

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If you have any questions, please contact Thomas Marenchin, of my staff, at (301) 492-3209.

Sincerely,

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Division of Fuel Cycle Safety
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