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February 26, 2008

Secretary, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission,
Washington, DC 20555-0001

Attn: Rule Making & Adjudications Staff

RE: Nuclear Regulatory Commission
10CFR Parts 170 & 171
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Small Entity Fees

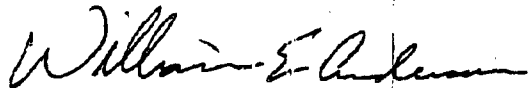
Gentlemen:

It would be most helpful if you would consider revising fees for small businesses not engaged in manufacturing. Our firm is a small consulting engineering company that has an annual gross receipts in the range of \$600,000.00, yet we have to pay the same amount as a firm grossing 6.5 million. Could you consider raising the lower gross receipt amount to qualify for the \$500.00 fee to 1 or 2 million or develop a sliding scale?

It does not seem fair to require the same fees from such a large range of income (almost 20-1). The \$2,300.00 fee is a burden every year for our small engineering company.

Your kind consideration of this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,
Anderson & Associates Consulting Engineers, L.L.C.



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SENDER: Bill Anderson

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MESSAGE:

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