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November 19, 2004

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SUBJECT: USE OF U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION EMPLOYEES DURING EXERCISES AND DRILLS AT THE BWX TECHNOLOGIES, INC. FACILITY

Dear Mr. Nash:

On October 29, 2004, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) sent you a letter regarding the access of NRC employees to your site. That letter provided clarification as to the expectation of unfettered access of NRC inspectors.

The purpose of this letter is to clarify the use of NRC inspectors [redacted] in exercises and drills. Since NRC maintains the responsibility for the suitability of its inspectors, these individuals will not be considered [redacted] in exercises and drills.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please feel free to contact Billy Gleaves of my staff at (301) 415-5848 or via e-mail to bcg@nrc.gov.

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Sincerely,

/RA/

Gary S. Janosko, Chief
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