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Mr. Cary Alstadt
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SUBJECT: RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF VIOLATION 70-1151/2008-005

Dear Mr. Alstadt:

This refers to your August 21, 2008, response to the Notice of Violation transmitted to you by our letter dated August 6, 2008, and the NRC Report No. 70-1151/2008-002, dated May 29, 2008. We have determined that you have adequately identified both the root cause of the violations and the corrective actions to prevent recurrence. The violations remain open until we have verified implementation of your corrective actions during a future inspection.

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If you have any questions, please contact me at (404) 562-4721.

Sincerely,

/RA/

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