

August 31, 2008

The Honorable Joseph I. Lieberman
Chairman, Committee on Homeland Security
and Governmental Affairs
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Mr. Chairman:

As requested in your letter, dated July 29, 2008, concerning U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) acquisitions related to the "Buy American Act," I am providing you with the following information, as required by Title VIII, Subtitle C, Sec. 8306, of the U.S. Troop Readiness, Veterans' Care, Katrina Recovery, and Iraq Accountability Appropriations Act of 2007 (Public Law 110-28).

In Fiscal Year (FY) 2007, the NRC purchased articles, materials, supplies and services valued at \$163,884,815.05. The NRC did not directly purchase any articles, materials, or supplies manufactured outside the United States. Although some NRC purchases were made through contracts awarded by other agencies, such as General Services Administration Supply Schedules, the NRC does not maintain data on the sources of articles, materials, or supplies in contracts awarded by other agencies.

The NRC looks forward to continuing its support of the Buy American program.

Sincerely,

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Dale E. Klein

cc: Senator Susan Collins

Identical letter sent to:

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United States House of Representatives
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