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SUBJECT: NRC ROUTINE INSPECTION REPORT NO. 50-225/2008-202

Dear Mr. Winters:

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The inspection examined activities conducted under your license as they relate to security and compliance with the Commission's rules and regulations, and compliance with the conditions of your license. The inspector reviewed selected procedures and records, observed activities, and interviewed personnel. Based on the results of this inspection, no safety concerns or noncompliances with NRC requirements were identified. No response to this letter is required.

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Should you have any questions concerning this inspection, please contact Marcus Voth at 301-415-1210.

Sincerely,

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