



**UNITED STATES
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Ms. Zlata I. Godsel
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Dear Ms. Godsel,

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) has engaged the General Services Administration (GSA) to build out newly acquired space in its Region III office, located at 2443 Warrenville Rd., Lisle IL. The funds required to build out this space are part of the line item in the NRC FY 2009 Performance Budget entitled "Salaries and Expenses" that was approved by Congress. Included in this line item are the infrastructure and support costs for the NRC, which are distributed as a portion of the total program cost. The allocation methodology is consistent with the methodology used for preparing the NRC's financial statements. Infrastructure and support resources fund activities that are necessary to achieve the NRC's safety and security mission, including providing the appropriate physical facilities to ensure regulatory effectiveness and operational efficiency.

Therefore, the Congress has, through its approval of the NRC FY 2009 Performance Budget, authorized the NRC to expend funds for the purposes of building out Region III's newly acquired space on Warrenville Rd. in Lisle, IL. This new space will be constructed to improve the readiness and capabilities of Region III's incident response program, including response to threat-based and other security-related emergencies. These funds have been transferred to the GSA through a Reimbursable Work Authorization.

Please contact me, Dina Sotiropoulos, or Gail Christoffer Baruch at 630-829-9511 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "B. J. Holt".

B. J. Holt, Director
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