

September 29, 2009

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SUBJECT: OPERATOR LICENSING WRITTEN RETAKE EXAMINATION APPROVAL -  
SEABROOK STATION

Dear Mr. St. Pierre:

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The NRC has approved the subject examinations and hereby authorizes you to administer the written examinations in accordance with NUREG-1021, "Operator Licensing Examinations Standards for Power Reactors," Revision 9, Supplement 1, on October 1, 2009. This examination has undergone review by my staff and representatives responsible for licensed operator training at your facility. Based on this review I have concluded that the examination meets the guidelines of NUREG-1021 for content, operational, and discrimination validity. By administering this examination, you also agree that it meets NUREG-1021 guidelines, and is appropriate for measuring the qualifications of licensed operator applicants at your facility. If you determine that this examination is not appropriate for licensing operators at your facility, do not administer the examination and contact me at (610) 337-5046.

Please contact your Chief Examiner, Mr. Todd Fish, at 610-337-5369, if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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