



**FEMA**

December 4, 2009

Elmo E. Collins, Jr.  
Regional Administrator  
U.S. NRC, Region IV  
612 E. Lamar Blvd, Suite 400  
Arlington, TX 76011-4005

Dear Mr. Collins:

Enclosed is a copy of the radiological emergency preparedness final report for the Grand Gulf Nuclear Station Reception Center drill evaluated on November 5, 2009. FEMA Region 6 staff evaluated the Madison Parish Reception Center and the American Red Cross-certified congregate care center at the Tallulah Community Center. There were no Deficiencies or Plan Issues identified and one Area Requiring Corrective Action (ARCA) corrected during the drill.

Based on the results of the drill, the off-site radiological emergency response plans and preparedness for the State of Louisiana and the affected local jurisdictions are deemed adequate to provide reasonable assurance that appropriate measures can be taken to protect the health and safety of the public in the event of a radiological emergency. Therefore, 44 CFR Part 350 approval of the off-site radiological emergency response plans and preparedness for the State of Louisiana-specific to Grand Gulf Nuclear Station will remain in effect.

A copy of this report was forwarded to Ms. Lisa Gibney, REP HQ Branch Chief and HQ Project Officer, U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, in Washington, D.C. Should you have questions, please contact me at (940) 898-5199, or Bill Bischof, GGNS Site Specialist, at (940) 898-5562.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Lisa Hammond".

Lisa Hammond  
RAC Chair

Enclosure

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