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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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Louisiana Energy Services, LLC
NRC Docket No. 70-3103

Subject: Louisiana Energy Services Program Readiness in Support of NRC Operational Readiness Review

The Louisiana Energy Services, LLC (LES) Program Readiness Assessments have been completed for each of the following LES programs: Effluent Controls Program and Waste Management Program. Program Readiness was validated by performance of either QA Audits or organization self assessments. The Waste Management Program is fully implemented without exceptions. The Effluent Control Programs is ready with the exception that the Process Control System for control room connection to the HF and alpha monitors is not complete. These two program audits/assessments have been placed in the NRC's folder on Documentum and are available for your review prior to the start of the NRC's Operational Readiness Review. LES will continue to place other Program Audits/Assessments at this location as they are validated. Subsequent formal notifications will be transmitted to the NRC each time Program Assessments are validated.

Should you have any questions or comments, please contact Stephen Cowne, LES Director of Quality and Regulatory Affairs at 575.394.5253.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J. Reed', is written over the typed name.

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