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SUBJECT: ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RECEIPT OF THE EARLY SITE PERMIT
APPLICATION FOR VICTORIA COUNTY STATION AND ASSOCIATED
FEDERAL REGISTER NOTICE

Dear Ms. Kray:

On March 25, 2010, you tendered an early site permit application (ESP) for the Victoria County Station (VCS) site located in Victoria County, Texas. With the application, you requested an ESP with a twenty-year duration in accordance with Title 10 *Code of Federal Regulations* (CFR) 52.26(a).

In your letter you stated that you were submitting the ESP pursuant to the requirements of 10 CFR Part 52, "Licenses, Certifications, and Approvals for Nuclear Power Plants," Subpart A, "Early Site Permits," and that a specific reactor design for any future plant that may be built at the proposed site has not been selected. Therefore, technical information from various certified and proposed designs has been used to develop a plant parameter envelope for facility characterization necessary to assess the suitability of the site for future construction and operation of a nuclear power plant.

The NRC staff acknowledges receipt of your application and plans to complete an acceptance review of the application. If the staff finds your application to be acceptable, we will docket the application. The staff plans to make its determination on acceptability for docketing by June 7, 2010. To the extent possible, the staff will communicate with you as any issues arise during the acceptance review.

Enclosed is the notice that will be forwarded to the Office of the Federal Register to inform the public of receipt and availability of the subject application.

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If your application is found to be acceptable, the NRC staff will publish a schedule for review of the Victoria County Station ESP within approximately 30 days of completion of the acceptance review. If you have any questions, I can be reached at (301) 415-6775 or by e-mail at Janelle.Jessie@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,

/RA/

Janelle B. Jessie, Project Manager
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