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Mr. James Lenois  
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SUBJECT: FEDERAL REGISTER NOTICE PUBLISHING AN ENVIRONMENTAL  
ASSESSMENT AND FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT FOR A  
REQUEST FOR EXEMPTIONS FROM 10 CFR 72.212 AND 72.214  
(TAC NO. L24373)

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The NRC will notify you in a timely manner of our decision on these exemption requests. Enclosed is a copy of the Federal Register Notice.

Sincerely,

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