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Great Job!
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Dear Christine:

On behalf of the Nuclear Energy Institute, I want to thank you for your leadership representing the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission at the 2011 Used Fuel Management Conference in Baltimore, Maryland.

The industry recognizes and respects the work you and your colleagues do in successfully regulating spent fuel activities. Your willingness to prepare for and participate in the "Dry Spent Fuel Storage Inspection Experience" session was greatly appreciated. The conference audience and your fellow participants benefited from your presentation on the NRC's perspective of recent experience in dry storage cask inspections. This information was very insightful and stimulated an intriguing discussion.

Thank you for your contribution to making the conference a success, and we hope you will join us again next year at the Vinoy in St. Petersburg, Florida.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "M. Nichol", is written over a horizontal line.

Marcus Nichol

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