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Washington, DC 20585

June 13, 2011

The Honorable Gregory B. Jaczko
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555-0001

Dear Chairman Jaczko:

Thank you for your support of the Department of Energy's (DOE) June 2011 Nuclear Safety Workshop. The workshop brought together an impressive group of nuclear safety managers and technical experts to engage in two days of dialogue on the knowledge gained to date and any lessons learned from the accident at the Fukushima Daiichi nuclear power station.

The plenary presentation provided by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's (NRC) Commissioner Ostendorff and the NRC staff's participation in the breakout sessions contributed greatly to the success of this workshop. We appreciate your support and look forward to a continuing dialog with the NRC as we develop lessons-learned and actions that can improve nuclear safety at DOE.

Sincerely,

A large, stylized handwritten signature in black ink, likely belonging to Glenn S. Podonsky, is positioned above the typed name.

Glenn S. Podonsky
Chief Health, Safety and Security Officer
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cc: Commissioner Kristine L. Svinicki
Commissioner George Apostolakis, Ph.D
Commissioner William D. Magwood, IV
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