



UNITED STATES  
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555-0001

September 7, 2012

The Honorable Ed Whitfield  
Chairman, Subcommittee on Energy and Power  
Committee on Energy and Commerce  
United States House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairman Whitfield:

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission appeared before the Committee on Energy and Commerce, Subcommittee on Energy and Power and Subcommittee on Environment and the Economy, on July 24, 2012, at a hearing entitled, *NRC Policy and Governance Oversight*. From that hearing, you forwarded questions for the hearing record. The responses to those questions are enclosed. The questions posed to Chairman Macfarlane, on behalf of the Commission, will be responded to on September 14, 2012. If I can be of further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Rebecca L. Schmidt for".

Rebecca L. Schmidt, Director  
Office of Congressional Affairs

Enclosure:  
As stated

cc: The Honorable Bobby L. Rush, Ranking Member  
Subcommittee on Energy and Power