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SUBJECT: RESPONSE TO NRC NOTICE OF VIOLATION AND NRC INSPECTION  
REPORT 0500298/2013009

Dear Mr. Limpias:

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Sincerely,

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