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Mr. J.E. Dyer Chief Financial Officer U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, DC 20555-0001

Dear Mr. Dyer:

By letter dated June 7, 2013, you notified the Committee of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's intent to reprogram \$38,000,000 of prior-year funds to address sequestration deferrals and to support an integrated prioritization of emergent and unfunded work in fiscal year 2013, including Fukushima-related safety improvements. Pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Consolidated and Further Continuing Appropriations Act, 2013, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission may not use these funds to initiate or resume any project or activity for which appropriations, funds, or other authority was not available during fiscal year 2012.

The Committee has no objection to the proposed reprogramming.

Marcy Kaptur

Ranking Member,

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Sincerely,

Rodney P. Frelinghuysen

Chairman,

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