



STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA
DENNIS DAUGAARD, GOVERNOR

August 7, 2013

Chairman Allison M. Macfarlane
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555

Dear Chairman Macfarlane,

I am appointing Rick Lancaster as the new State Liaison Officer to the NRC from the state of South Dakota. Mr. Lancaster is in a position within state government to access my office and other state agencies in order to convey important and time-sensitive information provided by the NRC. Rick is also in a position to keep your agency informed of important regulatory, legislative, and public interest issues as they occur within the state.

As the Governor-appointed State Liaison Officer, Rick will also function as my state employee representative, as provided for in Part 73:59(e) of your regulations, for receipt of Safeguards Information (SGI) and Safeguards Information-Modified Handling (SGI-M) that may be transmitted by the NRC. Following is the contact information for Rick.

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The state of South Dakota looks forward to continued communication between the NRC and the state.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Dennis Daugaard".

Dennis Daugaard

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cc: William A. Maier, Regional State Liaison Officer, USNRC Region IV, 1600 East Lamar Boulevard, Arlington, TX 76011-4511
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