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Dear Mr. Eisenhut:

The SEP Owners Group is pleased to submit for review and evaluation by the SEP staff 15 copies of a report entitled, "Eastern United States Tectonic Structures and Provinces Significant to the Selection of a Safe Shutdown Earthquake," prepared by Weston Geophysical Corporation for the SEP Owners Group. We believe this submittal will provide additional material for use by the NRC/SEP and geosciences staff in establishing earthquake design levels for eastern nuclear power plant sites.

Sincerely,

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