

July 2, 2015

Mr. Ronald Johnson, President  
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SUBJECT: FINAL ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT FOR THE AMENDMENT OF THE  
U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION LICENSE NO. SNM-2506 FOR  
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(DOCKET NO.: 72-0010)

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In accordance with 10 CFR 2.390 of the NRC's "Agency Rules of Practice and Procedures," a copy of this letter will be available electronically for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room or from the Publicly Available Records component of the NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS). ADAMS is accessible from the NRC Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>. Other documents related to this action can also be found in the NRC Public Document Room or from ADAMS.

If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Jean Trefethen of my staff at (301) 415-0867 or via email at [Jean.Trefethen@nrc.gov](mailto:Jean.Trefethen@nrc.gov).

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