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March 19, 2015

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Dear Mrs. Szezech:

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As you may know, Mr. John Pelchat, my Senior Government Liaison Officer, is NRC Region II's staff level representative to the NRIA development effort. Mr. Pelchat and Mr. James Trone, of your staff and the NRIA project leader have already met and begun to collaborate on this work.

Again, I look forward to our meeting and supporting the Steering Committee. Please do not hesitate to call me if I or a member of my staff may be of assistance.

Sincerely,

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