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**SUBJECT: REACTOR OPERATOR RETAKE LICENSE EXAMINATION – CALVERT CLIFFS  
NUCLEAR POWER PLANT UNITS 1 AND 2**

Dear Mr. Hanson:

In a telephone conversation on December 19, 2016, between Mr. David Silk, Chief Examiner and Mr. James Barton, Senior Operations, arrangements were made for the administration of a written retake examination at Calvert Cliffs Nuclear Power Plant, Units 1 and 2 on, or about, June 7, 2017.

As agreed during the telephone conversation, your staff will prepare the retake examination based on the guidelines in Revision 10, of NUREG-1021, "Operator Licensing Examination Standards for Power Reactors." The NRC's regional office will discuss with your staff any changes that might be necessary before the examination is administered.

To meet the above schedule, it will be necessary for your staff to furnish the examination outline by March 7, 2017. The written examination and supporting reference materials will be due by April 7, 2017. Pursuant to Title 10, Section 55.40(b) (3), of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR 55.40(b) (3)), an authorized representative of the facility licensee shall approve the outline and the examination before they are submitted to the NRC for review and approval. All materials should be complete and ready-to-use. We request that any personal, proprietary, sensitive unclassified, or safeguards information in your response be contained in a separate enclosure and marked appropriately. Any delay in receiving the required examination and reference materials, or the submittal of inadequate or incomplete materials, may cause the examinations to be rescheduled.

In order to conduct the requested written examination, it will be necessary for your staff to provide adequate space and accommodations in accordance with ES-402 on the date noted above.

To permit timely NRC review and evaluation, your staff should submit the preliminary reactor operator license application (Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval number 3150-0090), medical certifications (OMB approval number 3150-0024), and waiver requests (if any) (OMB approval number 3150-0090) at least 30 days before the examination date. If the application is not received at least 30 days before the examination date, a postponement may be necessary. The signed application certifying that all training has been completed should be submitted at least 14 days before the examination date.

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Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. Mr. Barton has been advised of the policies and guidelines referenced in this letter. If you have any questions regarding the NRC's examination procedures and guidelines, please contact Mr. David Silk at (610) 337-5372, or me at (610) 337-5306.

Sincerely,

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