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SUBJECT: EXAMINATION REPORT NO. 50-128/OL-17-02, TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY

Dear Dr. McDeavitt:

During the week of January 30, 2017, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) administered an operator licensing examination at your Texas A&M University research reactor. The examinations were conducted according to NUREG-1478, "Operator Licensing Examiner Standards for Research and Test Reactors," Revision 2. Examination questions and preliminary findings were discussed with those members of your staff identified in the enclosed report at the conclusion of the examination.

In accordance with Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations*, Section 2.390, a copy of this letter and the enclosures will be available electronically for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room or from the Publicly Available Records (PARS) component of 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>. The NRC is forwarding the individual grades to you in a separate letter which will not be released publicly. Should you have any questions concerning this examination, please contact Mr. John T. Nguyen at (301) 415-4007 or via internet e-mail John.Nguyen@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,

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Docket No. 50-128

Enclosure:
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cc: Mr. Jerry Newhouse, Texas A&M University
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