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Mr. Les Taggart  
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Dear Mr. Taggart,

Thank you for presenting at the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's 29th Annual Regulatory Information Conference (RIC), on March 16, 2017. We really appreciate that you were able to change your travel plans in order to accommodate the weather related schedule changes.

Your remarks during our session entitled "Nuclear Supply Chain – Opportunity to Excel" were interesting and informative, and your perspective on the topic helped to foster a dynamic discussion during the question and answer portion of the session.

Initial feedback received indicates that the RIC was successful in achieving its primary goal of providing stakeholders with important and relevant information specific to safety and security. It also offered an opportunity for participants to interact with colleagues in the nuclear community by gaining and sharing valuable insights and opinions on nuclear regulatory activities.

Video recordings captured during the Opening Session, the Commissioner Plenary Sessions, Special Guest Speaker Session, and the Regional Session are available to the public at <http://video.nrc.gov/>. Additionally, audio recordings, transcripts, and presentations received while onsite are currently being compiled and will be posted on the RIC Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/public-involve/conference-symposia/ric/index.html> in the next few weeks.

Again, thank you for your participation this year.

Sincerely,

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SUBJECT: RIC THANK YOU LETTER TO LES TAGGART OF AZZ NUCLEAR/NUCLEAR LOGISTICS INC. (NLI) FOR PRESENTING AT THE 2017 RIC SESSION ENTITLED NUCLEAR SUPPLY CHAIN - OPPORTUNITY TO EXCEL

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