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RI-2013-A-0002

Subject: NRC Office of Investigations Case No. 1-2013-024

Dear Mr. Rausch:

The Region I Field Office, NRC Office of Investigations (OI), initiated an investigation (Case No. 1-2013-024) on August 9, 2013, to determine whether an Operation Department employee was discriminated against for engaging in protected activities while employed at Susquehanna. Based on documentary and testimonial evidence gathered during the OI investigation, the NRC found insufficient evidence to conclude that the individual was involuntarily separated from employment at Susquehanna due to having engaged in protected activities.

Please note that final NRC investigation documents, such as the OI report described above, may be made available to the public under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) subject to redaction of information appropriate under the FOIA. Requests under the FOIA should be made in accordance with 10 CFR 9.23, Requests for Records, a copy of which is enclosed for your information.

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No response to this letter is required. Should you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Mr. Fred Bower of my staff at (610) 337-5200.

Sincerely,

/RA/ Michael Scott for

Ho K. Nieh, Director
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