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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D. C. 20555

SUBJECT: Draft Generic Environmental Impact Statement on Uranium Milling

Dear Mr. Scarano:

Thank you for the opportunity to review the subject document. On behalf of the Commonwealth of Virginia, I would like to note that uranium exploration has been conducted in the eastern states, including Virginia. If uranium production should be contemplated in Virginia at some future date, the various factors addressed in the EIS should be carefully evaluated on a site-specific basis in terms of the physical and cultural conditions that exist in our State.

Please let me know if I can be of further assistance.

Sincerely,

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cc: The Honorable Maurice B. Rowe, Secretary of Commerce and Resources
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