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Dear Dennis:

Enclosed is a report entitled "The Role of Radiation Damping in the Impedance Function Approach to Soil-Structure Interaction Analysis". This report was prepared by Tom Tsai of NCT Engineering Inc. at the request of LLL. Its purpose is to clarify certain technical issues concerning the reanalysis of Oyster Creek and Palisades. I feel you will find this information useful in the ongoing review.

Very truly yours,

*Robert C. Murray*

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