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Dear Mr. Keiser:

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR EXEMPTION FROM 10 CFR 20.103(c)(2)
(TAC NOS. 73119/73120)

RE: SUSQUEHANNA STEAM ELECTRIC STATION, UNITS 1 AND 2

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Sincerely,

/s/

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