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Mr. Anderson and Ms. Case:

The purpose of this email is to notify you that the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) has issued a final supplemental environmental impact statement (SEIS) in accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), for the proposed license renewal of Surry Power Station, Units 1 and 2 (Surry) in Surry County, Virginia. The final SEIS is available online at: ML20071D538.

During its NEPA review, the NRC determined that the proposed subsequent license renewal may affect, but is not likely to adversely affect the northern long-eared bat (*Myotis septentrionalis*). In a letter dated April 9, 2019, the FWS concurred with this determination, based on the premise that activities associated with the proposed license renewal with the potential to affect the northern long-eared bat are consistent with the activities analyzed in a 2016 programmatic biological opinion. The FWS's April 9, 2019, letter documents that the NRC staff has fulfilled its ESA Section 7(a)(2) obligations with respect to the proposed Surry license renewal. Sections 3.8.1 and 4.8.1.1 and Appendix C.1 of the NRC's final SEIS address federally listed species and critical habitats and summarize this consultation.

If you have any questions about this email or the final SEIS, please reach out to me by phone at 301-415-1042 or email at briana.grange@nrc.gov.

Thank you,

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