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Dr. Yasumasa Togo Chairman Nuclear Safety Commission Science and Technology Agency 2-2-1, Kasumigaseki Chiyoda-ku Tokyo, Japan

Dear Chairman Togo:

I want to thank you for the time that you and your fellow Commissioners took from your busy schedule to meet with me to discuss matters of interest and importance regarding the nuclear power programs in our countries. I gained a number of insights during my visit, especially concerning Japan's national commitment to the development of a complete fuel cycle supporting a Plutonium and Mixed Oxide program. I wish you continued success in the operation of your current reactors and your future program. Please let me know if you or one of the Commissioners will be visiting Washington because I would enjoy the opportunity to continue our discussion.

Sincerely,

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