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SUBJECT: BEAVER VALLEY POWER STATION, UNIT NO. 2, PROBABILISTIC RISK ASSESSMENT MODEL

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This letter is to inform you of our intention of placing the BVPS-2 PRA model on the docket and in the public document room in 30 days from the date of this letter. If you claim that your PRA model contains proprietary information, please submit an affidavit as required by 10 CFR 2.790 within the 30 days. We will review your proposed claim and inform you of our acceptance or rejection of your claim. Please contact me at 301-415-1409 if you have any questions on this subject.

Sincerely,

(Original signed by)

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