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SUBJECT: REPLY TO NRC SAFETY EVALUATION (SE) REGARDING BEAVER VALLEY  
POWER STATION, UNIT NO. 2 (BVPS-2), SECOND 10-YEAR INSERVICE  
TESTING (IST) PROGRAM RELIEF REQUESTS (TAC NO. MA3711)

Dear Mr. Cross:

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Please contact me at (301) 415-1409 if you have any questions regarding this issue.

Sincerely,  
original signed by:  
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