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Please review the attached letter about the construction permit application submitted by Kairos Power, LLC.

Thank you,

Gingy Nail  
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Mr. Kenneth Erwin, Chief  
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Environmental Review New Reactor Branch  
Division of Rulemaking, Environment,  
and Financial Support  
Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards  
Washington, D.C. 20555-0001

Dear Mr. Erwin:

Thank you for the letter of notification regarding the United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission's (NRC) environmental review for a construction permit application submitted by Kairos Power, LLC (Kairos) for the proposed Hermes non-power demonstration reactor. If licensed, the facility would be constructed on a site within the East Tennessee Technology Park (ETTP) in Oak Ridge, Roane County, Tennessee.

The proposed project is outside of our area; therefore, we do not request government-to-government consultation with the United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission. While the Chickasaw Nation has no objection to the undertaking, we respectfully defer to the federally-recognized First American tribe(s) who have identified a connection to the project area.

Your efforts to preserve and protect significant historic properties are appreciated. If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Karen Brunso, tribal historic preservation officer, at (580) 272-1106, or by email at [karen.brunso@chickasaw.net](mailto:karen.brunso@chickasaw.net).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Lisa John', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Lisa John, Secretary  
Department of Culture and Humanities

cc: [KairosHermes-CPEIS@nrc.gov](mailto:KairosHermes-CPEIS@nrc.gov)