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The Honorable Shelley Moore Capito Chairman, Committee on Environment and Public Works United States Senate Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairman Capito:

On behalf of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), I am submitting the NRC's report on "Engagement with the Government of Canada with Respect to Nuclear Waste Issues in the Great Lakes Basin" as required by the Accelerating Deployment of Versatile, Advanced Nuclear for Clean Energy Act of 2024 (ADVANCE Act), Section 602. The enclosed report describes how the NRC has engaged Canada on nuclear waste issues through bilateral meetings, multilateral fora, and technical information exchanges. The NRC will continue to engage Canada to maintain awareness of Canada's nuclear waste activities, both inside and outside the Great Lakes Basin.

Please contact me or have your staff contact Eugene Dacus, Director of the Office of Congressional Affairs, at (301) 415-1776, if you have questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

David A. Wright

Enclosure: As stated

cc: Senator Sheldon Whitehouse

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