

February 2, 2007

The Honorable Peter J. Visclosky
Chairman, Subcommittee on Energy
and Water Development
United States House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Mr. Chairman:

Thank you for your support of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's (NRC's) budget request for fiscal year (FY) 2007. I appreciate your time and attention in considering the resources needed for the NRC's anticipated increased workload and the related hiring goals. The NRC is now a step closer to assuring that the agency can prepare for the challenges of the coming year as well as continue its mission to protect public health and safety.

We at the NRC look forward to working with you and your staff as this session continues. Again, thank you for your support of our budget request.

Sincerely,

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