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Subject: Request to Terminate the UVAR and CAVALIER Research Reactor Operator Requalification Program for the University of Virginia Reactor (Docket No. 50-62, License R-66) and the CAVALIER Reactor (Docket No. 50-396, License R-123)

Dear Mr. Adams,

The nuclear research reactors at the University of Virginia have been permanently shut down. The facility operator requalification program, as approved by the NRC, only applies to licensed reactor and senior reactor operators. All reactor fuel has been shipped off-site, and there are no activities which will require licensed individuals. For this reason, all of our operator licences have been terminated.

Hence, we request that the UVAR and CAVALIER Research Reactor Operator Requalification Program be terminated officially.

Thank you for your attention to this request.

Sincerely,

---I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.---

Robert U. Mulder, Director  
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