

October 29, 2003

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Division of Administrative Services  
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FROM: Catherine Haney, Director */RA/*  
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Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

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In addition, we have attached a Congressional letter package for transmittal to the Office of Congressional Affairs.

Should you have any questions, please contact Brian Richter 415-1978.

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