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SUBJECT: VERIFICATION REVIEW OF REVISIONS 4 AND 5 TO STANDARD PRACTICE
PROCEDURES PLAN FOR THE PROTECTION OF CLASSIFIED MATTER
(TAC L32641)

Dear Mr. Quintana:

The purpose of this correspondence is to provide you with the results of the review that was conducted at your Fuels Growth Engineering (FGE) Facility in Wilmington, North Carolina by two Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) staff members on August 8, 2007.

The intent of the review was to verify whether activities were in place to support the implementation of the Revision 4 and 5 changes to the FGE Facility's "Standard Practice Procedures Plan (SPPP) For The Protection of Classified Matter."

On the basis of the NRC staff's review, the Revision 4 and 5 changes to the FGE's SPPP meet the requirements of 10 CFR Part 95 and are approved for implementation and use. The secure room may now be used as a vault-type room for open storage of classified material, up to and including SECRET-Restricted Data. In addition, the expanded areas to the FGE Facility may now be used for classified work and discussions. Please note that any classified material being used in the expanded areas must be secured in the vault-type room, or the security containers within the vault-type room when unattended or not in use.

If you have any questions, please contact J. Keith Everly of the NRC's Information Security Staff at 301-415-7048, or via email to jke@nrc.gov.

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