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August 29, 2007

The Honorable Dale E. Klein
Chairman
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555-0001

Dear Dr. Klein:

On behalf of the School of Public Affairs at American University and the Roger W. Jones Award Selection Committee, I want to thank you for your nomination of William F. Kane.

This year's nominations were among the finest we have ever reviewed, and the selection process was challenging for all involved. After careful consideration, the Selection Committee has named Maryann Musumeci, Director of the Bronx/James J. Peters Veterans Affairs Medical Center, and John E. Potter, Postmaster General and Chief Executive Officer of the U.S. Postal Service, as the 2007 recipients of the Roger W. Jones Award for Executive Leadership.

Please know that this year provided an abundance of extremely qualified candidates for the Roger Jones Award, and nominations were up over forty percent from last year. This year's nominations were also outstanding in quality. The senior executives were notable for their extraordinary achievements as well as for their commitment to continuity. Your nomination added luster to this group.

We value your participation in the Roger W. Jones Award, and your thoughtful acknowledgement of outstanding efforts can only encourage excellence in the Nuclear Regulatory Commission. We look forward to receiving your nominations in the future.

Sincerely,

William M. LeoGrande

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