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Ms. Kimberly Kulpanowski
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SUBJECT: DECOMMISSIONING FINANCIAL ASSURANCE

Dear Ms. Kulpanowski:

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In accordance with Title 10 of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 2.390 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter will be available electronically for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room or from the NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS), accessible from the NRC Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>.

If you have any questions, please contact Jennifer L. Bishop of my staff at 630-829-9607.

Sincerely,

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