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NUMBER 2-2012-003

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Sincerely,

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SYNOPSIS

This investigation was initiated on October 19, 2011, by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), Office of Investigations (OI), Region II (RII), to determine whether a former contract employee at Louisiana Energy Services was discriminated against for raising safety concerns.

Based upon the evidence developed, this investigation did not substantiate the allegation that a former contract employee at Louisiana Energy Services was discriminated against for raising safety concerns.

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