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Dr. Michael Binder
President and Chief
Executive Officer
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Commission
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Dear President Binder:

On behalf of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), I offer my congratulations to you and the Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission (CNSC) on the 70th anniversary of the establishment of an independent nuclear regulatory body in Canada. The CNSC's continued commitment to the health, safety, and security of Canadians, as well as the environment, is indeed worth celebrating.

The NRC values the long and productive relationship we enjoy with the CNSC, and we share the same commitment to nuclear safety that CNSC is highlighting with the recognition of this milestone in 2016.

I offer my best wishes for CNSC's continued success and look forward to continuing our fruitful cooperation.

Sincerely,

/RA/

Stephen G. Burns