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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555-0001

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The Honorable John Barrasso
Chairman, Committee on Environment
and Public Works
United States Senate
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Mr. Chairman:

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For more information, see the enclosed document.

Please contact me at 301-415-1776, if you have questions or need more information.

Sincerely,

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Eugene Dacus, Director
Office of Congressional Affairs

Enclosure:
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cc: Senator Thomas R. Carper



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The Honorable Shelley Moore Capito
Chairman, Subcommittee on Clean Air
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Committee on Environment and Public Works
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