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Mr. Robert L. Tedesco
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Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Mr. Tedesco:

I represent Del-AWARE Unlimited, Inc., a membership organization which is concerned with those aspects of the Philadelphia Electric Company nuclear facility at Limerick, Pennsylvania which involve diversion of water from the Delaware River. My clients have been particularly concerned with the consumptive use of scarce water resources, mechanisms for provision of storage, and the physical and biological impacts on the affected streams, including the Delaware, the Neshaminy, and the Perkiomen, which will be attributable to the proposed system.

We understand from various sources that the NRC will shortly be studying this proposed diversion in connection with a supplement to the EIS for an operating permit for the Limerick plant. My clients have a number of concerns and facts which have not been addressed or considered in the prior Environmental Impact Statement, which, in our view, require a further Environmental Impact Statement, including an interdisciplinary study and opportunity for full public comment, prior to the filing of any supplemental EIS or any supplement to the EIS. The information that we have is unclear as to what is envisioned by NRC, as well as to when opportunities will be provided for public input, concerning the scope of the studies and the procedures to be followed, as well as the disciplines to be involved. I would appreciate being informed as to your plans and the current status, and request that my client be included in project planning and implementation, as appropriate.

Sincerely,



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