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Re: Case No. FIA-24-0050
Request No. HQ-2024-01160-F

Dear Mr. Rutherford:

The Department of Energy (DOE) has considered the Freedom of Information Appeal that was filed on September 3, 2024. As the enclosed Decision and Order indicates, the DOE has determined that the Appeal, Case No. FIA-24-0050, be denied.

If you have any questions regarding this Decision and Order, please contact Ben Yenerall, General Attorney, at the Office of Hearings and Appeals, by electronic mail message at ben.yenerall@hq.doe.gov or by telephone number 240-246-5597.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Poli Marmolejos".

Poli Marmolejos
Director
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