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Re: Ling Federal No. 4

Dear Sir:

Attached are a set of the logs run during drilling and completion of the Ling Federal No. 4 for which I am requesting confidentiality.

Sincerely,

Kim Tyson

Regulatory Analyst

Kim Vyun