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Gentlemen:

Subject: CRU4 Platformer Heater(s) Tube Skin Thermocouples

I wanted to personally thank you for the engineering expertise and the I&T inspection service you have furnished Star in recommending, building, and overseeing the installation of the new tube skin thermocouples on our CRU4 Platformer Heaters.

We are fully aware that installation inspection on a round-the-clock, 7-days-a-week basis during one of our I&Ts is not a part of your normal business routine, and I wanted to acknowledge your helping us in a critical part of the critical path of our CRU4 I&T. Swede tells me your help was invaluable and we are very pleased with the initial startup results we're seeing on the tube skin temp measurements. Right now, only 3 out of 30 temp points are giving us questionable readings and we've not had time to double check everything to ensure they're properly connected.

We are looking forward to continuing the excellent relationship we've had with STI Manufacturing and their personnel over recent years. Thank you again for your willingness to furnish us a needed, valuable service under unusual circumstances.

Yours very truly,

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