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Dear Mr. Modeen:

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After the issuance of the final version of the comprehensive fire protection regulatory guide, the staff will update the database and make it publicly available for interested stakeholders.

Please contact Mr. Edward A. Connell of my staff at (301) 415-2838 if you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

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