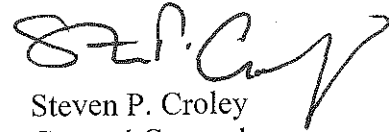DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY REDELEGATION
ORDER NO. 00-015.04 GC1-DEL-LP1-2016
TO THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
OF THE LOAN PROGRAMS OFFICE

1. DELEGATION. Pursuant to the authority vested in me as the General Counsel and by
    Delegation Order No. 00-015.00B, there is hereby delegated to the Executive Director of
    the Loan Programs Office the authority to:

    1.1 On a nonexclusive basis, assert in litigation the deliberative process privilege and
         other legally-recognized privileges for matters related to activities of the Loan
         Programs Office.

2. RECISSION. None.

3. LIMITATION.

    3.1 In exercising the authority delegated in this Order, a delegate shall be governed by
         the rules and regulations of the Department of Energy, and the policies and
         procedures prescribed by the Secretary or delegates(s).

    3.2 Nothing in this Order precludes any other delegate with authority to assert the
         deliberative process privilege and other legally-recognized privileges, including
         the Secretary, General Counsel, Deputy General Counsel or Deputy General
         Counsel for Litigation and Enforcement, or Assistant General Counsel for
         Litigation, from exercising any of the authority delegated by this Order.

    3.3 Nothing in this Order shall be construed to supersede or otherwise interfere with
         the authorities provided to the Administrator for Nuclear Security by law or by
         delegation. Furthermore, nothing herein constitutes authority to exercise
         authority, direction, or control of an employee of the National Nuclear Security
         Administration or its contractors.

4. AUTHORITY TO REDELEGATE.

    4.1 This authority may not be redelegated.

5. EFFECTIVE DATE.

    5. 1 All actions pursuant to any authority delegated prior to this Order or pursuant to
           any authority delegated by this Order taken prior to and in effect on the date of
           this Order are ratified and remain in force as if taken under this Order, unless or
           until rescinded, amended or superseded.

5.2   This Order is effective the 18th day of May, 2016.

Steven P. Croley
General Counsel