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TRANSNUCLEAR, INC.

March 8, 2001

Ms. Betty Wright
Export/Import Licensing Officer
Office of International Programs
US Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555

Re: USNRC Export License No. XSNM02611 dated August 25, 2000

Dear Ms. Wright:

This letter is to provide an update to our letter dated February 1, 2001 regarding material shipped since February 1.

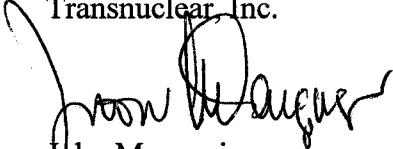
As is stated on page 2 in the February 1 letter, shipments 5, 6 and 7 were scheduled to be shipped on 1/31/01, 2/07/01 and 2/14/01. These shipments were completed as scheduled.

We are now in preparation for performing a Category I shipment. Our February 1 request for amendment to license XSNM02611 is to permit a full 37.875 kg U to be shipped in the Category I shipment. If the amendment is not issued within the next days, the amount of material scheduled to be shipped in the Category I shipment will have to be reduced by the amount already shipped in the three Category II shipments to ensure not exceeding the 37.875 kg U permitted for 2001 under the existing license

We appreciate the cooperation and attention being given to our request and we await notification that the amendment will be issued in time to permit loading the containers with 37.875 kg U of material. The empty packagings arrived in the US this week and are at the airport awaiting US Customs clearance and delivery to NFS.

We remain available to respond to any questions you may have on this subject.

Sincerely,
Transnuclear, Inc.


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General Manager - Operations

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