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Gentlemen:

Subject: Notification of Name Change - Siemens Power Corporation to Framatome ANP Richland, Inc. (Docket 70-1257)

Ref.: Letter, L.J. Maas to U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Document Control Desk, "Request for NRC Consent to Transfer of Siemens Power Corporation's (SPC's) Materials License (Docket 70-1257) and Related Licenses, Certificates and Approvals," September 29, 2000.

Effective Thursday, February 1, 2001, Siemens Power Corporation (SPC), the owner/operator of the nuclear fuel engineering and manufacturing facility located at 2101 Horn Rapids Road, Richland, Washington, has changed its name to Framatome ANP Richland, Inc. The name change coincides with the signing in Europe of the closing documents for the merger of the world-wide nuclear business of the former-SPC's parent company, Siemens AG, with that of the French company, Framatome S.A. The resultant joint venture company, Framatome ANP, will exist retroactive to January 1, 2001.

With respect to the name change, the referenced submittal provided, as Attachment 2, a list of NRC licenses, permits, program approvals, and approved documents requiring to be transferred as a result of this transaction. The attached table provides a fully updated list with respect to the import and export licenses ("current" and "applied for") portion of that Attachment. Also with respect to shipping containers, add to the "registered user" list the following NRC licensed containers: NCI-21PF-1 (USA/9234/BU), MCC-3/4/5 (USA/9239/AF), and UNC-2901 (USA/6294/AF).

The merger of Framatome ANP Richland, Inc. into the new joint venture company has not yet occurred but in any event will occur by July 31, 2001. In the meantime, Framatome ANP Richland, Inc. will remain under the ownership of Siemens. You will be notified at the time the transition in ownership occurs.

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We appreciate your continued assistance in regards to the administrative changes necessitated by the Siemens - Framatome joint venture. If you have questions, please contact me at 509-375-8537.

Very truly yours,



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Export and Import Licenses In Force & In Process for which a Name Change is Requested

License Number	End Use	Country of End Use	Expiration Date
XCOM01108	Dry Conversion Process and Equipment	Russia	09/30/08
XSNM02969 Amd. 2 (In Process)	Chinshan 1 & 2, Kuosheng 1 & 2	Taiwan	12/31/10
XSNM03159	Fukushima I Units 2-5, Fukushima I Unit 6, Fukushima II Units 1 & 2	Japan	03/31/01
XSNM03167	Reactors in the EURATOM Community	Germany, Sweden, Finland, UK	09/30/02
XSOU8763	Depleted Uranium for down blending and eventual use within the EURATOM Community	Germany	12/31/05
IW002	Import of contaminated combustible waste	Germany	12/31/05
IW009 (In Process)	Import of contaminated combustible waste	Germany	12/31/10
XSNM03176 (In Process)	Genkai Unit 3	Japan	03/31/03
XSNM03177 (In Process)	Takahama 2 Reload 24 and Ohi 4 Reload 10	Japan	07/31/02
XSNM03178 (In Process)	Fukushima Daiichi Unit 5 and Fukushima Daini Unit 2	Japan	12/31/02
DLN:01:010 (In Process)	Depleted Uranium Qualification Material	Japan	04/30/02
DLN:01:011 (In Process)	Return of Non-Combustibles	Germany	12/31/02
DLN:01:011 (In Process)	Return of Ash	Germany	12/31/02
DLN:01:014 (In Process)	Fugen Reactor	Japan	09/30/02
DLN:01:014 (In Process)	Tsuruga Unit 2	Japan	05/31/02