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Subject: Request for Timely Renewal of USNRC Certificate of Compliance (CoC)
No. 71-9023

Reference: USNRC CoC No. 71-9023, Revision 8, Model No. NLI-10/24 Package

Dear Mr. Monninger:

NAC International (NAC) hereby requests the timely renewal of the Certificate of Compliance (CoC) No. 71-9023 for the Model No. NLI-10/24 Packaging [Package Identification Number USA/9023/B(F)] in accordance with the provisions of 10 CFR 71.38. The referenced CoC has an expiration date of July 31, 2003.

In conjunction with this request, NAC has reviewed the NLI-10/24 Safety Analysis Report (SAR) to ensure that it is complete and current, specifically the sections on operating procedures, acceptance tests, and maintenance programs. No changes in these sections are needed.

The only change required to the CoC is the new address of NAC, which is:

NAC International, Inc.
3930 East Jones Bridge Road
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In recognition of current 10 CFR 71 requirements, NAC understands and accepts the applicability of 10 CFR 71.13(a)(1) to the Model No. NLI-10/24 cask with regard to package and/or packaging component fabrication. NAC commits to the NRC that no NLI-10/24 package and/or packaging component fabrication will occur under this certificate until all regulations applicable to such fabrication are satisfied and NRC approval has been obtained, i.e., a "-85" amendment request has been submitted and approved.

Based on potential current and future business opportunities, the renewal of CoC No. 9023 will provide a sound basis for NAC to sell and/or use the NLI-10/24 in either

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foreign or domestic applications. Should such a business transaction be completed and warrant it, the option to submit and obtain an approval of an "-85" amendment request for the NLI-10/24 would be available, as it is under the current CoC. It is important that this option be maintained.

Since NAC has no current plans to seek approval of an "-85" amendment request for the NLI-10/24, no schedule for such activity is provided. Based on the foregoing discussion, NAC requests that the renewal of CoC No. 9023 for the NLI-10/24 remain active.

If you have any questions or comments regarding this request for timely renewal, please contact me at 770-447-1144. Thank you for your consideration of this renewal request.

Sincerely,

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