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December 2, 2002

Mrs. Gloria Bennington
Licensing Assistant
Office of Nuclear Security & Incident Response
Mail Stop T-4-D-8
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
11545 Rockville Pike
Washington, DC 20852-2738

Re: Transnuclear reference: 02089-6

Advance notification for an import shipment of nuclear material from countries that are not party to the Convention on the Physical Protection of Nuclear Material

Dear Mrs. Bennington:

This letter constitutes Transnuclear Inc.'s advance notification to the USNRC in compliance with the requirements as outlined in 10 CFR 73.74(a)(1)(2) for an import shipment of low strategic significance material from Countries that are not party to the Convention on the Physical Protection of Nuclear Material.

Details of this shipment as required in 10 CFR 73.74(a)(1) are as follows:
73.74(a)(3)(i) Data:

Importer of Record	Receiving Facility
Eurodif Production Site Du Tricastin 26702 Pierrelatte, France 33 04 75 5053 30	Framatome ANP 2101 Horn Rapids Road Richland, WA 99352 509-375-8202
Shipping Facility	Carriers
Eurodif Production Site Du Tricastin 26702 Pierrelatte, France 33 04 75 5053 30	Atlantic Container Line 50 Cragwood Ave South Plainfield, NJ 07080 718-553-2313
Transport Coordinator	AND
Transnuclear, Inc. 4 Skyline Drive Hawthorne, NY 10532 914-347-2345	R & R Trucking, Inc. 2329 S. Hayden Road Spokane, WA 99224 1-800-756-0223

FOUR SKYLINE DRIVE, HAWTHORNE, NEW YORK 10532
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73.74(a)(3)(ii) Data:

Physical description of shipment:

10 model 30B cylinders containing RQ "Radioactive Material, Uranium Hexafluoride, Fissile, 7, UN2977 (U Enriched less than 20%) inside protective overpacks.

Approximate weight: UF6 22776 kg. U: 15400 kg. U235: 770 kg. Enrichment less than 5%.

73.74(a)(3)(iii)(iv)(v) Data:

MODE	ORIGIN(O),TRANSFER(T), COUNTRY/ENROUTE(C/E)& DESTINATION (D) POINTS	ROUTE	DATE/TIME OF ARRIVAL (A) & DEPARTURE(D) AT EACH POINT
Truck/rail	Pierrelatte, France	Standard truck/rail	D December 2, 2002 0001-2359 hrs
ATL CONCERT	Antwerp, Belgium	Vessel	A/D December 4, 2002 0001-2359 hrs.
	Liverpool, UK		A/D December 7, 2002 0001-2359 hrs.
	Halifax, Canada		A/D December 15, 2002 0001-2359 hrs.
	NYC Port Elizabeth NJ		A/D December 17, 2002 0001-2359 hrs.
	Baltimore, MD		A December 19, 2002 0001-2359 hrs.
	Baltimore, MD	Standard Truck	D December 23, 2002 0700 -1700 hrs.

Arrival at the receiving facility is estimated to be between 0700 hours and 1700 hours on January 3, 2003.

This shipment will meet the levels of physical protection specified in Appendix E (Annex I).

Yours truly,
 TRANSNUCLEAR, INC.

Mathew George

Mathew George
 Traffic Coordinator