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Reference: 1) Docket No. 70-143/SNM License 124
2) NRC Bulletin 2003-03, "Potentially Defective 1-inch Valves for Uranium Hexafluoride Cylinders", dated August 29, 2003

Subject: Response to NRC Bulletin 2003-03

Dear Sir:

Nuclear Fuel Services, Inc. (NFS) hereby responds to the referenced bulletin by affirming that we have reviewed our inventory and determined that we have no 1-inch valves manufactured by Hunt in our possession, neither installed on cylinders nor under our control.

The NFS Safety and Safeguards Review Council has reviewed and approved this response.

If you or your staff have any questions, require additional information, or wish to discuss this, please contact me, or Rik Droke, Licensing and Compliance Director (423/743-1741). Please reference our unique document identification number (44G-03-1049) in any correspondence concerning this letter.

Sincerely,
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