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MEMORANDUM TO: Administrative Judge Alan S. Rosenthal  
Presiding Officer  
Atomic Safety and Licensing Board

Administrative Judge Richard F. Cole  
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SUBJECT: NEW INFORMATION POTENTIALLY RELEVANT AND  
MATERIAL TO LICENSING BOARD PROCEEDING IN  
THE MATTER OF NUCLEAR FUEL SERVICES, INC.,  
ERWIN, TENNESSEE

Pursuant to the Commission Policy on Notification to Licensing Boards or the Commission of new relevant and material information, the staff has determined that the following document is potentially relevant and material to the Nuclear Fuel Services Inc. (NFS) proceeding, and is forwarding it herewith as an attachment to this memorandum: (1) letter to K. Schutt, NFS, from L. Plisco, Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) re: Operation of BLEU Preparation Facility.

This document informs NFS that NRC has no objection to the introduction of high-enriched uranium into the processes in the BLEU Preparation Facility. The NRC position is based on the results of the operational readiness review inspections conducted during the period from March 29 through June 18, 2004.

Attachment: Letter dated 6/18/04

cc w/ attach: Service List  
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