

April 13, 2005

MEMORANDUM TO: Robert Caldwell, Chief
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Division of Nuclear Security
Office of Nuclear Security and Incident Response

FROM: John Lubinski, Chief /RA/
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SUBJECT: ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF REQUEST FOR ONE-TIME EXEMPTION
TO ANNUAL SNM PHYSICAL INVENTORY FREQUENCY
REQUIREMENT OF FUNDAMENTAL NUCLEAR MATERIAL
CONTROL PLAN (TAC NO. L31884)

The Division of Fuel Cycle Safety and Safeguards, Fuel Cycle Facilities Branch (FCFB) requests technical assistance in reviewing the following project:

Project: Framatome ANP, Inc. Lynchburg

Docket No./TAC No.: 70-1201 L31884

Requested Action: Review attached Framatome, Lynchburg request for an extension on performing the annual SNM physical inventory. If this is found acceptable, provide a Safeguards Evaluation Report. If it is not acceptable, provide a memo describing the inadequacies including a request for additional information. Participate in meetings and conference calls as necessary.

FCFB requests that Office of Nuclear Security and Incident Response provide a final SER if approved by May 4, 2005. FCFB estimates that this review will require 8 staff-hours of effort.

Please provide the information requested below and return a completed copy to the Licensing Assistant (LA) or Project Manager (PM).

Name of Reviewer: _____

NSIR'S Projected Completion Date: _____

FCSS Section Chief Signature: _____

Contacts: PM: Robert Lukes, (301) 415-4025
LA: Betty Garrett, (301) 415-5808

The above TAC No. should be referenced in future correspondence related to this review and on the HRMS Report for recording staff time expended on this effort.

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Attachment:
Submittal from Framatome dated March 31, 2005

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