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August 22, 2005

CAL 4-05-001

Mr. Kassel Weeks, Council Member Eastern Shoshone & Northern Arapaho Tribes P.O. Box 538 Fort Washakie, Wyoming 82514

SUBJECT: EXTENSION FOR RESPONDING TO CONFIRMATORY ACTION LETTER 4-05-001 REPLY

Dear Mr. Weeks:

This letter is in regard to Eastern Shoshone & Northern Arapaho Tribe's request to extend the allotted time specified in the NRC Confirmatory Action Letter (CAL) dated April 29, 2005.

Pursuant to your July 17, 2005 letter, we are extending the time for Eastern Shoshone & Northern Arapaho Tribe to respond to the CAL from July 31 to November 16, 2005. This extension to the CAL response time will allow Eastern Shoshone & Northern Arapaho Tribe to complete its evaluation of possible radiation exposures to members of the public (i.e. employees who were non-radiation workers) as identified on the April 29, 2005, CAL.

Please notify me immediately if for any reason you cannot complete the actions within the specified schedule and advise me in writing of your modified schedule.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.390 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter, and your response (if any) will be made available electronically for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room or from the Publicly Available Records (PARS) component of NRC's document system (ADAMS). ADAMS is accessible from the NRC Web site at http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html (the Public Electronic Reading Room).

Should you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Mr. Len Wert, Director, Division of Nuclear Materials Safety at (817) 860-8106.

Sincerely,

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Bruce S. Mallett Regional Administrator

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