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Mr. E. William Brach, Director
Spent Fuel Project Office, M/S O-13D13
Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555-0001

Subject: Request for Early Renewal of U.S. NRC CoC 9294

References: Docket 71-9294, USA/9294/AF-85 – Model No: NPC

Dear Mr. Brach:

The Global Nuclear Fuel - Americas, L.L.C. (GNF-A) facility in Wilmington, North Carolina, hereby requests renewal of NRC Certificate of Compliance (CoC) 9294 by November 3, 2005.

This certificate does not expire until February 28, 2006, however, due to our current shipping schedule and the need to obtain certification from the U.S. DOT and revalidation from several foreign Competent Authorities, we are requesting this early renewal.

No changes to the certificate, other than the renewal, are being requested.

If you are unable to accommodate this request, please contact me at your earliest convenience.

Please contact me on (910) 675-5656 if you have any questions or would like to discuss this matter further.

Sincerely,

Global Nuclear Fuel – Americas, LLC

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Richard P. [unclear] for Charles M. Vaughan'. The signature is written in a cursive, somewhat stylized script.

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cc: CMV-05-059
R. Boyle, U.S. DOT

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