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**Message**

Attached is an Advanced Notification of Export Shipment. The SNM will be leaving our facility on May 14th and departing Oakland, CA for Japan on May 17th. The material is going under export license XSNM03159.

A copy of this letter will be mailed to you today.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to give me a call.

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2. Physical Description

Three hundred thirteen (313) NT-IX shipping containers of which three hundred thirteen (313) contain enriched  $UO_2$  and none (0) are empty. The shipment contains 9,861 kgU and 438 Kg<sup>235</sup>U at an average enrichment of approximately 4.44 wt%  $U^{235}$ . The NT-IX's are loaded in six sea containers.

3. Transport Route

The shipment will depart from Seattle, WA via the vessel "Procyon" going to Tokyo, Japan. Upon arrival at Tokyo, Nuclear Fuel Industries, or its agent, will take physical custody of the shipment as arranged prior to shipment.

4. Schedule

The shipment is scheduled to depart Richland on May 14, 2001 and to depart Oakland, CA on May 17, 2001 and is expected to arrive at Tokyo on June 5, 2001.

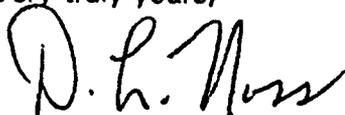
5. Assurance

The shipment will be protected during transport in accordance with IAEA Information Circular 225, "Physical Protection of Nuclear Materials".

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If you have any questions, please call me on (509) 375-8380.

Very truly yours,



Dan L. Noss  
Senior Scientist, Safeguards

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