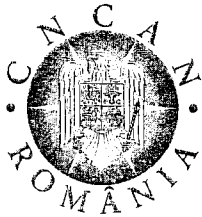


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Dear Mr. Diaz,

Having in mind that international co-operation is an essential tool for achieving a stable and effective regulatory regime ensuring a high level of nuclear safety National Commission for Nuclear Activities Control takes all the necessary measures for developing and strengthening related activities. In this regard, the Arrangement between the National Commission for Nuclear Activities Control (CNCAN) of Romania and the Nuclear Regulatory Commission of the United States of America (USNRC) for the Exchange of Technical Information and Cooperation in Nuclear Safety Matters represents an important opportunity for our institution, providing the framework for technical co-operation in the field of regulation of safety, safeguards, physical protection, waste management, and environmental impact of designated nuclear facilities and activities.

In this respect, I would be much honored to invite you to visit Romania in order to become more familiar with our organization activities. This event would represent a chance to express views and opinions on further opportunities for strengthening the exchange of information in the field of nuclear safety matters.

Recognizing the important role of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission of the United States of America in regulating nuclear materials and facilities for promoting common defense and security, for protecting public health and safety, as well as for the environmental protection, I am confident that further development of our cooperation would be of real benefit for CNCAN in order to implement its responsibilities at the highest standards.

I would appreciate very much your presence at CNCAN Headquarters at your convenience.

Please, Sir, accept the assurance of my highest consideration,

Sincerely yours,


Vilmos Zsombori,
President

Mr. Nils J. Diaz
Chairman
Nuclear Regulatory Commission of the United States of America