



United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission

Washington, DC 20555

Import License

Pursuant to the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, and Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, Chapter 1, Part 110, a license is hereby issued to the licensee designated below authorizing the import of nuclear materials and/or facilities into the United States of America in accordance with the statements and representations made by the licensee in the application referenced below. This license is subject to all applicable rules, regulations, and orders of the United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission now or hereafter in effect and to any conditions specified below.

NRC License Number: IW009/01

Expiration Date: December 31, 2010

Application Date/Reference Number:

Letter dated September 23, 1999

US Licensee/Receiving Facility:

AREVA NP Inc.
2101 Horn Rapids Road
Richland, WA 99354

Attn: D. Noss

Purpose of Amendment: To revise and clarify the descriptions of the quantity and type of material authorized for import, and the end use/disposal arrangements, to make them consistent with the original application submitted to NRC on September 23, 1999, and the corresponding Federal Register notice, published on December 16, 1999. All other terms and conditions of this license are unchanged.

Quantity and Type of Material: A maximum total quantity of 36.0 kilograms of Uranium-235 contained in 1,200.0 kilograms Uranium enriched to 5% w/o maximum, is authorized for import as Class A Radioactive Waste contaminants on combustible materials (paper, wood, clothing, plastic). The combustible materials were contaminated in the process of fabricating low enriched uranium fuel (conversion of UF₆; production of UO₂ powder; pressing UO₂ powder into pellets; and loading pellets into fuel assemblies).

Point of Origin: Advanced Nuclear Fuels GmbH, Lingen, Germany

End Use/Waste Disposal: Imported combustible materials will be processed to recover uranium. Any contaminated non-combustibles recovered will be returned to the ANF facility in Germany, pursuant to a valid NRC export license (e.g., XW005). Low-level radioactive waste generated at the U.S. licensee's facility is to be disposed of at the US Ecology, Inc. facility in Richland, WA, subject to the requirements of the State of Washington and the Northwest Interstate Compact on Low Level Radioactive Waste Management. Any radioactive mixed waste generated at the U.S. licensee's facility from post-incineration processing is to be disposed of at the Envirocare facility subject to the requirements of the State of Utah.

Authorized For the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission By:

Name: Margaret M. Doane
Title: Deputy Director,
Office of International Programs

Signature: *Margaret M. Doane*

Date of Issuance: March 28, 2006

License Condition: This NRC license authorizes import only. The U.S. licensee is responsible for compliance with any and all additional Federal and State requirements that may apply.