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**RE: Certificate of Compliance No. 9299 for the F-423 Transport Package
Intent to Release Information**

Dear Ms. Osgood:

MDS Nordion has received your letter dated April 4, 2006, and has reviewed your response to our request to maintain in confidence MDS Nordion proprietary confidential information. MDS Nordion, for the limited purpose described in your letter of April 4, 2006, does not object to the disclosure of MDS Nordion proprietary confidential information to the extent contain in the Certificate of Compliance (CoC) No. 9299 and Safety Evaluation Report (SER) dated August 23, 2001.

If you have any questions or require further information please feel free to contact me by telephone at (613) 592-3400 extension 2421 or by email at mcharette@mds.nordion.com.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Marc-André Charette". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

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