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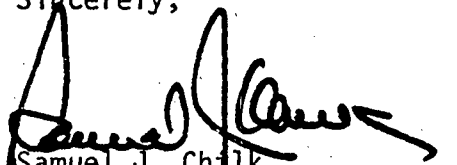
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Dear Ms. Butcher:

On July 2, 1976 you filed a petition for intervention on behalf of Congressman Charles C. Diggs, et al., in the matter of the application of U. S. Nuclear, Inc., for a license to export special nuclear material to South Africa, XSNM-690, Amendment 2 (Docket No. 70-1853). On March 4, 1977 you have served a list of 74 proposed interrogatories on the applicant and possibly concerned government agencies. This is to inform you that the Commission intends to rule on your petition to intervene and the questions you submitted after it has received the final views of the Executive Branch respecting the proposed export. At that time these issues can be addressed in a context which will more fully illuminate the concerns presented.

A copy of a letter concerning this matter that we have recently received from the Department of State is enclosed for your information.

Sincerely,


Samuel J. Chalk
Secretary of the Commission

Enclosure as stated

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