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RE: Schedule For Providing Additional Information For The Nichols Ranch ISR Project License Application (TAC LU140, Docket No 040-09067)

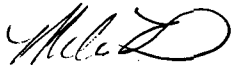
Dear Mr. Linton,

In a letter date September 11, 2008, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) staff requested additional information to complete the review of the Nichols Ranch ISR Project license application. Additional information was requested for issues related to the effects of coal bed methane water produced on the surface and groundwater, the unconfined (unsaturated) conditions in the portion of the Hank production zone, and the estimated number of pore volumes required to restore the production zones. Radiological additional information was also requested on meteorological data, radiological environmental monitoring, and the gaseous effluent monitoring.

Uranerz Energy Corporation (Uranerz) has set up a meeting with the NRC on October 22, 2008 to address some of the request for additional information. Upon completion of the meeting, Uranerz will have a better estimate on when the NRC will receive responses to the request for additional information (RAI). As it now stands, an anticipated response date of mid-November 2008 for part of the RAI's is planned. The first set of responses would include information related to the effects of coal bed methane, radiological environmental monitoring, meteorological data, ISR operations and reclamation. Responses to such items related to the unconfined conditions may require a longer time period based upon the outcome of the October 22, 2008 meeting. A date for the submission of the second set of responses will be provided to the NRC sometime after October 22, 2008.

If you should have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me by phone at 307-265-8900 or by email at [mthomas@uranerz.com](mailto:mthomas@uranerz.com).

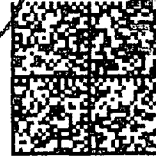
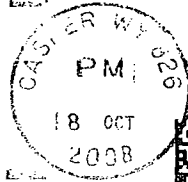
Sincerely,



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