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**SUBJECT: LICENSE AMENDMENT: JOHN H. GLENN RESEARCH CENTER, LEWIS  
FIELD, CLEVELAND, OHIO**

Dear Mr. Dominguez:

Enclosed is Amendment No. 43 amending your NRC Material License No. 34-00507-16 in accordance with your letter dated October 28, 2008, requesting the NRC approve your proposed alternative schedule for decommissioning, pursuant to the requirements in Title 10 Code of Federal Regulation (CFR) 30.36(f). Based on our review of the documentation you submitted in support of the request, we have determined that you have satisfactorily demonstrated that the basis for the alternative schedule for the Lewis Field Facility, Cleveland, Ohio will not be detrimental to public health and safety. As a result, we have added a license condition which approves your request, and specifies that a decommissioning plan will be submitted to the NRC by September 30, 2010.

An environmental assessment for this action is not required, since this action is categorically excluded under 10 CFR 51.22(c)(14)(v).

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.390 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter and its enclosure will be available electronically in the NRC Public Document Room or from the Publicly Available Records (PARS) component of NRC's document system (ADAMS). The NRC's document system is accessible from the NRC Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>.

Please review the enclosed document carefully and be sure that you understand all conditions.

If you have any questions regarding our review or this amendment, do not hesitate to contact me at (630) 829-9871.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "William G. Snell".

William G. Snell, Senior Health Physicist  
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Division of Nuclear Materials Safety

Docket No. 030-05626  
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Enclosure:  
Amendment No. 43