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Stephen J. Cohen, Team Leader
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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555-0001

re: Lost Creek ISR, LLC, Notification of an Exemption From the Commencement of Construction Requirements in 10CFR 40.32(E), Lost Creek In Situ Recovery Facility, Sweetwater County, Wyoming (TAC J00595) (SHPO File # 0608JEK008)

Dear Mr. Cohen:

Thank you for consulting with the Wyoming State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) regarding the above referenced project.

Based on the information provided, it is uncertain whether or not approval of this exemption will adversely affect historic properties. We recommend that this exemption not be approved until such time as the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission has completed consultation with our office per Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act and its implementing regulations (36 CFR Part 800).

Please refer to SHPO project #00608JEK008 on any future correspondence regarding this project. If you have any questions, please contact me at 307-777-5497.

Sincerely,



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