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Dr. Robert Charles Brown, President Arkansas Tech University Russellville, Arkansas 72801-2222

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In your letter you committed to inform NRC concerning the disposition of reactor components in your possession when that decision is made. Please provide this information to NRC at least 30 days prior to the date of disposition. Please note that the reactor components cannot be assembled without issuance of a construction permit from the NRC. Also note that the reactor components cannot be exported without obtaining the proper license from the NRC.

If you have any questions concerning the withdrawal of your application or disposition of the reactor components in the possession of ATU, please call me at 301-415-1127.

Sincerely,

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