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ATTN: Document Control Desk Director Division of Spent Fuel Storage and Transportation Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, DC 20555

SUBJECT: Request for Renewal of US Nuclear Regulatory Commission Certificate of

Compliance No. 9196 For the Model UX-30 UF<sub>6</sub> Packaging

Dear Ms. Ordaz:

Energy Solutions hereby requests renewal of the Certificate of Compliance No. 9196.

No change to packaging or contents is being requested. Energy Solutions has reviewed the operating section (Chapter 7) and the maintenance and acceptance tests section (Chapter 8) of the UX-30 Safety Analysis Report and no changes to these sections are required as a result of this request.

EnergySolutions requests that the renewal be given the highest possible priority. The UX-30 is in use internationally and endorsements of the renewed certificate by the US DOT and foreign competent authorities must be obtained before the expiration date of the current certificate.

In order to minimize disruptions of UF<sub>6</sub> shipments in the UX-30, EnergySolutions also requests issue of a letter indicating the UX-30 certificate will not expire until final action on this renewal request has been taken, per 10 CFR 71.38. This letter will be provided to DOT with a request to issue a new endorsement, which will then be provided to foreign competent authorities for endorsement.

Should you or members of your staff have questions about the responses, please contact Mark Whittaker at (803) 758-1898.

Sincerely,

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