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**Mr. John D. Kinneman
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Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards
Attention: Document Control Desk
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555-0001**

Subject: Operations Building Design - General Electric-Hitachi Global Laser Enrichment (GLE) License Application

By letter dated June 22, 2011, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) provided the results of their review of GLE's April 8, 2011 response to an NRC Request for Additional Information (RAI) related to the design of the GLE Operations Building. In that letter, the NRC stated that GLE should provide an amended License Application, Integrated Safety Analysis Summary, and Quality Assurance Program Description incorporating the results of the NRC review within 21 days of the date of that letter. GLE requests additional time to develop a thorough and complete response to the results of the NRC's review and requests the response due date be extended to August 12, 2011.

Since receipt of the June 22, 2011 NRC letter, GLE has been analyzing the NRC's results with the goal of providing a response within 21 days of receipt of that letter (i.e. by July 13, 2011). However, given the volume of information provided in that letter and the extent of the analysis required, it has become apparent that a thorough and complete response to the NRC's review results cannot be provided by GLE by July 13, 2011. GLE has assessed the level of effort remaining and concluded that a thorough and complete response can be provided by August 12, 2011. This due date will provide GLE a total response time consistent with the time needed by the NRC to develop their June 22, 2011 letter providing the results of their review of GLE's April 8, 2011 response to the NRC RAI.

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Please respond by July 13, 2011 with regard to the acceptability of extending GLE's response due date to August 12, 2011. If there are any questions regarding this letter and its contents, please do not hesitate to contact Julie Olivier at 910-819-4799 or at Julie.Olivier@ge.com.

Sincerely,



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