

August 4, 2011
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OFFICE OF ENFORCEMENT
NOTIFICATION OF SIGNIFICANT REGULATORY ACTION

Licensee: USEC, Inc.
American Centrifuge Lead Cascade Facility (Lead Cascade)
and American Centrifuge Plant (ACP)
Docket Nos. 70-7003; 70-7004

Subject: EXTENSION OF USEC INC. ORDER APPROVING DIRECT TRANSFER OF
LICENSE AND CONFORMING AMENDMENT

This is to inform the Commission that on or about Tuesday, August 9, 2011, the staff will issue an Order extending the Order issued on February 10, 2011, to USEC, Inc. (USEC), transferring control of License Nos. SNM-7003 (Lead Cascade) and SNM-2011 (ACP) from USEC Inc. to a subsidiary limited liability company, American Centrifuge Operating (ACO), LLC.

USEC has been working diligently with the U.S. Department of Energy over the past several months to conclude the review process for USEC's loan guarantee application. However, USEC has not been able to conclude the conditional commitment process, which is the next step in the process of obtaining the loan guarantee. USEC also stated that due, in part, to this fact, they have not completed the necessary implementation requirements to complete the proposed transfer of licenses from USEC to ACO within the 180 day implementation period (i.e., by August 9, 2011) established within Order EA-11-013.

In USEC's letter of July 22, 2011, as supplemented by electronic communication dated August 1, 2011, requesting the extensions, the licensee stated that there have been no changes in the information and/or technical and financial qualifications presented in the original request for transferring their material licenses and relied upon by the NRC staff under which the NRC issued the original Order. The Order will be extended through February 9, 2012.

It should be noted that the licensee will be informed of the issuance of the Order in accordance with the following schedule:

Mailing of Order	August 9, 2011
Telephone Notification of Licensee	August 9, 2011

The State of Ohio will be notified.

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