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**American Centrifuge Lead Cascade Facility
Docket Number 70-7003; License Number SNM-7003
American Centrifuge Plant
Docket Number 70-7004; License Number SNM-2011
Nominated Reviewing Officials Pursuant to U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Orders
Imposing Requirements for Protecting Certain Safeguards Information (EA-06-223, EA-06-
224) and Unescorted Access to Radioactive Material or Other Property for the American
Centrifuge Lead Cascade Facility and American Centrifuge Plant (EA-07-239) – Security-
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Dear Ms. Holahan:

Purpose

USEC Inc. (USEC) hereby submits to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) an update to Nominated Reviewing Officials for the American Centrifuge Lead Cascade Facility and American Centrifuge Plant.

Background

In accordance with NRC Orders [EA-06-223, EA-06-224, and EA-07-239] Imposing Requirements for Protecting Certain Safeguards Information (Reference 1) and Fingerprinting and Criminal History Records Check Requirements for Unescorted Access to Radioactive Material or Other Property for the American Centrifuge Lead Cascade Facility and American Centrifuge Plant (Reference 2), NRC must approve each individual nominated as a “Reviewing Official” for determining access to Safeguards Information and for unescorted access to radioactive material or other property subject to regulation by the NRC before they can act in that position.

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Discussion

Pursuant to References 1 and 2, USEC hereby nominates Jennifer L. Hopkins as “reviewing official” in place of Mr. Darren E. Mays (approved by Reference 3). Enclosure 1 submits the active federal clearance verification sheet for the nominated “reviewing official” in lieu of fingerprint cards as evidence that the background investigation requirements have been satisfied. Accordingly, following approval of this change, USEC’s two reviewing officials will be Ms. Angela L. Wright (approved by Reference 4) and Jennifer L. Hopkins.

Enclosure 1 contains USEC Proprietary Information and Security-Related Information; therefore, USEC requests that this enclosure be withheld from public disclosure pursuant to 10 *Code of Federal Regulations* 2.390(d)(1). In addition, Enclosure 1 has been determined, in accordance with the guidance provided by U.S. Department of Energy, to contain Official Use Only information.

Action

USEC requests NRC review and approval of this nominated “reviewing official” at your earliest convenience.

Contact

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at (301) 564-3470 or Terry Sensue at (740) 897-2412.

Sincerely,



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Enclosure: As stated

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References:

1. Letters from J.R. Strosnider (NRC) to S.A. Toelle (USEC) regarding Issuance of Order to USEC, Inc. (Lead Cascade Facility and American Centrifuge Plant) Imposing Requirements for Protecting Certain Safeguards Information (EA-06-223 and EA-06-224), dated October 4, 2006
2. Letter from M.F. Weber (NRC) to P.J. Miner (USEC) regarding Issuance of Order Imposing Fingerprinting and Criminal History Records Check Requirements for Unescorted Access to Radioactive Material or Other Property (EA-07-239), dated October 1, 2007
3. Letter from B.W. Smith (NRC) to P.J. Miner (USEC) regarding USEC Inc.'s Nominated Reviewing Officials Pursuant to U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Orders EA-06-223, EA-06-224 and EA-07-239, dated March 26, 2010
4. Letter from B.W. Smith (NRC) to P.J. Miner (USEC) regarding Acceptance of Proposed Reviewing Officials for Orders Imposing Requirements for Protecting Certain Safeguards Information (EA-06-223 and EA-06-224) and for Unescorted Access to Radioactive Material or Other Property (EA-07-239), dated January 23, 2008

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