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Dear Mr. Oehlbert:

Enclosed is an application, dated April 4, 2012, received by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission from RSB Logistic Services Inc. requesting Amendment No. 03 to its existing license, XSOU8798/02. The license presently authorizes the export of natural uranium as uranium ore concentrate (U_3O_8) to Canada for conversion into uranium hexafluoride (UF_6) and return to the U.S. for further processing and ultimate use in nuclear power reactors. The purpose of the proposed amendment (XSOU8798/03) is to add the conversion of U_3O_8 into UO_2 or UO_3 , in addition to the conversion into UF_6 , as the Ultimate End Use of the export.

Assurances from Canada that the material will be subject to all of the terms and conditions of an agreement for cooperation are required. Your assistance in obtaining the necessary assurances will be appreciated.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure:
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