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DCS-NRC-000326
24 Sep 2012

Subject: Docket No. 070-03098
Shaw AREVA MOX Services
External Hazards Analysis Update

RE: DCS-NRC-000318, letter from Kelly Trice to David Tiktinsky, dated 11
Jul 2012, Docket 70-03098, Shaw AREVA MOX Services External
Hazards Analysis

As described in the reference correspondence, Shaw AREVA MOX Services is providing an update of the results of its review of the Department of Energy (DOE) implementation plan and updated safety basis that are being developed to respond to Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board (DFNSB) Recommendation 2012-1, Savannah River Site Building 235-F Safety.

The implementation plan and updated safety basis are in development. The implementation plan will specify actions DOE will take to reduce the hazards associated with residual contamination within Building 235-F. The updated safety basis will reflect the present Surveillance & Maintenance Mode (S&M) mode of the 235-F facility. While MOX Services is reviewing drafts of these efforts to ensure the evaluation of external hazards for the MOX Fuel Fabrication Facility remains valid, the reviews will not be completed until the documents are finalized. MOX Services will continue to provide NRC updates of this activity until our review of the issued documents are completed. At that time, MOX Services will inform the NRC of the results of the review for consistency with our External Hazards Analysis.

MOX Services will either provide the current status of these efforts or provide the results of this review by 30 Nov 2012.

If you have any questions, please call me at 803-819-2156 or our Licensing and Nuclear Safety Manager, Dealis Gwyn, at 803-819-2780.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Kelly Trice".

Kelly Trice
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