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Reference: U.S. Geological Survey TRIGA Reactor (GSTR), Docket 50-274, License R-113, Request for Clarification dated July 15, 2013

Subject: Request for additional response time for RAI clarifications

Mr. Wertz:

Your letter of July 15, 2013 for additional clarification related to the renewal of the Geological Survey's TRIGA reactor requested that responses be provided within 45 days. Unfortunately our support personnel from the Colorado School of Mines will not be available to address the questions until after August 19, 2013. Therefore I request that we be given an additional 45 days to respond, ending October 8, 2013.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tim DeBey". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Tim DeBey

USGS Reactor Supervisor

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