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From: Hein, Eric <eric_hein@fws.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, September 18, 2013 9:22 AM
To: Malliakos, Asimios
Subject: Gas Centrifuge Uranium Enrichment Facility, Lea County, New Mexico

Good morning:

Thank you for requesting technical assistance for your proposed Gas Centrifuge Uranium Enrichment Facility, Lea County, New Mexico. Under the Endangered Species Act, as amended, it is the responsibility of the Federal action agency or its designated representative to determine if a proposed action "may affect" endangered, threatened, or proposed species, or designated critical habitat, and if so, to consult with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) further. Similarly, it is the responsibility of the action agency or project proponent, not the Service, to make "no effect" determinations. If you determine that your projects will have "no effect" on threatened or endangered species or their respective critical habitat, you do not need to seek concurrence with the Service. Still, after reviewing your information, we believe there will no effect to threatened or endangered species or designated critical habitat.

Thank you,

Eric

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From: Malliakos, Asimios <Asimios.Malliakos@nrc.gov>
Date: Tue, Sep 10, 2013 at 9:25 AM
Subject: Request for response to the letter to the US Fish and Wildlife dated April 1, 2013
To: "NMESFO@FWS.gov" <NMESFO@fws.gov>, "Wally_Murphy@fws.gov" <Wally_Murphy@fws.gov>

Mr. Murphy,

Attached please find the letter "Request for Concurrence on U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's Determination of No Effect on Federally-Listed Species and Their Critical Habitat for the URENCO USA Proposed Capacity Expansion of the Gas Centrifuge Uranium Enrichment Facility in Lea County, New Mexico" sent to you on April 1, 2013.

We have not received any response on this letter. Please let me know what is the status.

Thank you

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