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Mr. Robin DeLaBarre
Office of Nuclear Energy,
Safety & Security Affairs, Room 3320 HST
Bureau of International Security
& Nonproliferation
U.S. Department of State
2201 C Street, NW
Washington, D.C. 20520

Dear Mr. DeLaBarre:

Enclosed is an application (XMAT430), dated October 15, 2013, received by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), from Matheson Tri Gas, Inc. for the export of deuterium gas to the Republic of Korea for use in semiconductor devices.

Inasmuch as Executive Branch views are not required for exports of deuterium gas to the Republic of Korea for a non-nuclear end-use, the NRC intends to issue the requested license after the required 30-day waiting period.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Brooke G. Smith".

Brooke G. Smith, Branch Chief
Export Controls and International Organizations
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Enclosure:
Application Dated 10/15/2013
XMAT430 – Republic of Korea
Docket Number 11006125

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