

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
INTERNATIONAL URANIUM (USA) CORPORATION

Docket No. 40-8681-MLA-7

ASLBP No. 99-767-07-MLA

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Pursuant to delegation by the Commission dated December 29, 1972, published in the Federal Register, 37 Fed. Reg. 28,710 (1972), and Sections 2.1201 and 2.1207 of Part 2 of the Commission's Regulations, a single member of the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board Panel is hereby designated to rule on petitions for leave to intervene and/or requests for hearing and, if necessary, to serve as the Presiding Officer to conduct an informal adjudicatory hearing in the following proceeding.

INTERNATIONAL URANIUM (USA) CORPORATION (IUSA)  
(Request for Materials License Amendment)

The hearing, if granted, will be conducted pursuant to 10 C.F.R. Part 2, Subpart L, of the Commission's Regulations, "Informal Hearing Procedures for Adjudications in Materials and Operator Licensing Proceedings." This proceeding concerns a request for hearing submitted by Ken Sleight in response to a notice of consideration of a license amendment for International Uranium (USA) Corporation's White Mesa Uranium Mill. International Uranium (USA) Corporation has applied for an amendment to its license to receive and

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process uranium bearing material removed from Formerly Utilized Sites Remedial Action Program sites located in the St. Louis, Missouri area. The notice of the proposed amendment request was published in the Federal Register at 64 Fed. Reg. 23,876 (May 4, 1999).

The Presiding Officer in this proceeding is Administrative Judge Peter B. Bloch. Pursuant to the provisions of 10 C.F.R. §§ 2.722, 2.1209, Administrative Judge Richard F. Cole has been appointed to assist the Presiding Officer in taking evidence and in preparing a suitable record for review.

All correspondence, documents, and other materials shall be filed with Judge Bloch and Judge Cole in accordance with 10 C.F.R. § 2.1203. Their addresses are:

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Issued at Rockville, Maryland,  
this 9th day of June 1999.

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CORPORATION (IUSA)  
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing DESIGNATION OF PRESIDING OFCR. have been served upon the following persons by U.S. mail, first class, except as otherwise noted and in accordance with the requirements of 10 CFR Sec. 2.712.

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