

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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Eric R. Jeppesen Radiation Safety Officer MRI Global (formerly Midwest Research Institute) 425 Volker Boulevard Kansas City, MO 64110-2241

Dear Mr. Jeppesen:

In letter dated March 28, 2014, MRI Global (formerly Midwest Research Institute) submitted to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) Amendment No. 03 to the Letter of Credit (LOC) to fulfill its requirements under 10 CFR Part 30. In addition, MRI Global submitted to the NRC Decommissioning Financial Assurance (DFP) which is no longer required and will not be reviewed. The NRC will require additional information for the Amended LOC to be acceptable. The additional information was discussed in a phone conversation with you and Jennifer Bishop on July 8, 2014.

(1) Submit a certification of financial assurance (NUREG-1757, Volume 3, Revision 1, Appendix A)

NUREG-1757, Appendix A calls for the submission of a certification of financial assurance from all licensees required to demonstrate financial assurance under 10 CFR Part 30, including those submitting a DFP (NUREG-1757, Volume 3, Revision 1, Appendix A, Sections A.1.3 and A.2). In the certification of financial assurance, the licensee certifies that it has obtained financial assurance in the appropriate amount and provides the details needed to verify that the amount is accurate under NRC regulations (NUREG-1757, Volume 3, Revision 1, Appendix A, Section A.2.2). The model wording for a certification of financial assurance is presented in NUREG-1757, Appendix A, Section A.2.4.

Please provide an original, separate certification of financial assurance as recommended by NUREG-1757, Appendix A.

(2) Submit a revised standby trust agreement Schedule A, Schedule B, Specimen Certificate of Events, and Specimen Certificate of Resolution (NUREG-1757, Volume 3, Revision 1, Appendix A, Section A.12)

NUREG 1757, Volume 3, Revision 1, Appendix A, Section A.12 provides the model language for a licensee's standby trust fund agreement. The current standby by trust fund agreement Schedule A and Schedule B will need to be amended to the new reflect the change in the value of the LOC. In addition, the specimen certificate of events (Section A.12.6) and the specimen certificate of resolution (Section A.12.7) provide the required format for instructing the trustee to

release monies from the standby trust in order to fund decommissioning activities at the licensee's facility. When submitted as part of a financial assurance package, the specimen certificates should be unexecuted drafts.

Please provide an amended Schedule A and Schedule B to the standby trust agreement that reflects the changes in the value of the letter of credit. Also, please provide a specimen certificate of events and a specimen certificate of resolution that have not been executed.

When responding to the above, please reference as additional information to Control Number 581339.

Sincerely,

Jennifer L. Bishop

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