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Armson USA, LLC  
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SUBJECT: NEW EXEMPT DISTRIBUTION LICENSE AND SEALED SOURCE AND  
DEVICE REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE

Dear Mr. Hatcher:

Please find enclosed U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) License No. 18-35207-01E, authorizing the distribution of gun sights containing tritium, to persons exempt from licensing pursuant to Section 30.19, 10 CFR Part 30, or equivalent regulations of any Agreement State, as well as new Sealed Source and Device (SSD) registration certificate No. NR-1404-D-101-E.

Please review the enclosed documents carefully and be sure that you understand all the conditions. If there are any errors or questions, please contact us so that appropriate corrections and answers can be provided.

Please be advised that you must conduct your program involving radioactive materials in accordance with the conditions specified in your NRC license, representations made in your license application, and other rules, regulations, and orders of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, now or hereafter in effect, to include the following:

1. Comply with applicable NRC regulations in 10 CFR Part 30, "Rules of General Applicability to Domestic Licensing of Byproduct Material"; 10 CFR Part 32, "Specific Domestic Licenses to Manufacture or Transfer Certain Items Containing Byproduct Material"; and other applicable regulations.

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2. Distribute only those products containing radioactive material which are specifically authorized in your license.
3. Notify NRC in writing within 30 days of any change in mailing address.

4. In accordance with 10 CFR 30.33, 30.34 and 30.38, please file appropriate documentation with the NRC prior to any changes to your organization, change locations of distribution of products containing radioactive material, facilities, equipment, procedures, change in the contact person or the person responsible for the quality assurance program for licensed activities, or any other changes in your program which are contrary to the license conditions or representations made in your license application and any supplemental correspondence with the NRC.
5. Submit a complete renewal application or termination request at least 30 days before the expiration date on your license. You should receive a reminder notice approximately 60 days before the expiration date. Continued distribution of products containing radioactive material after your license expires is a violation of NRC regulations.
6. In accordance with 10 CFR 30.36, request termination of your license if you plan to permanently discontinue activities involving distribution of products containing radioactive material.

You will be periodically inspected by NRC. Failure to conduct your program in compliance with NRC regulations, license conditions, and representations made in your license application and supplemental correspondence with NRC may result in enforcement action(s) against you. This could include issuance of a notice of violation; proposed imposition of a civil penalty; or an order suspending, modifying, or revoking your license as specified in the "General Statement of Policy and Procedures for NRC Enforcement Actions," (NUREG-1600).

Please be aware that, as a holder of an NRC license and/or registration, you may be subject to the NRC's annual fees in accordance with 10 CFR Part 171. If you have any questions concerning the fee requirements, please contact the Accounts Receivable Branch at (301) 415-7554.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.390 of the NRC's "Agency Rules of Practice and Procedure," a copy of this letter will be available electronically for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room or from the Publicly Available Records component of NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS). ADAMS is accessible from the NRC Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>.

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If you have questions concerning your exempt-distribution license, you may contact me at (301) 415-5477, or by electronic mail at [richard.struckmeyer@nrc.gov](mailto:richard.struckmeyer@nrc.gov). Any questions regarding the sealed source and device registration should be directed to Celimar Valentin-Rodriguez at (301) 415-7124 or by email at [Celimar.Valentin-Rodriguez@nrc.gov](mailto:Celimar.Valentin-Rodriguez@nrc.gov).

Sincerely,

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