

December 10, 2015

Ms. Amy Johnson, Manager
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SUBJECT: URENCO USA REQUEST FOR EXEMPTION FROM 10 CFR 25.33
REQUIREMENTS

Dear Ms. Johnson:

By letter dated November 11, 2015 (Agencywide Document Access and Management System (ADAMS) Accession Number ML15320A472, non-publicly available), Louisiana Energy Services (LES) d.b.a. URENCO USA (UUSA) requested that the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission review and grant an exemption from the requirement of Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR) 25.33(a)2 which requires termination of access authorization for an individual that is separated from the employment or activity for which the access authorization was issued for a period of 90 days or more.

Based on our initial review of your request we require additional information. That request is detailed below. Further, we request that you provide a response to this request within 30 days of the date of this letter.

In your request you cite 10 CFR 25.11(b)3 as the basis for the exemption. However, you have failed to detail how compliance would result in either undue hardship, or other costs to LES. Please provide a detailed "Financial Justification" or an explanation of other "Undue Hardship" that is the basis for this request.

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If you have any questions, please contact me at 301-415-7391 or via e-mail at Michael.Raddatz@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,

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