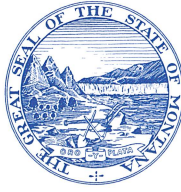


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STEVE BULLOCK
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May 13, 2016

Chair Stephen G. Burns
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555

Dear Chair Burns:

Effective immediately, I have appointed Ms. Delila Bruno as the new State Liaison Officer to the NRC from the State of Montana. Ms. Bruno is the Director of Montana's Emergency Services Division and is in a position within State government that affords her access to my office and other State agencies in order to convey important and time-sensitive information provided by the NRC.

Ms. Bruno is also in a position within Montana State government to be able to keep your agency informed of important regulatory, legislative and public interest issues as they occur within the state.

Ms. Bruno will also function as my State employee representative, as provided for in Part 73.59(e) of your regulations, for receipt of Safeguards Information (SOI) and Safeguards Information-Modified Handling (SOI-M) that may be transmitted by the NRC. Ms. Bruno has been informed of the protection requirements for SOI and SOI-M and will establish the controls necessary to maintain compliance with Parts 73.21 through 73.23 of your regulations. Her agency possesses the necessary physical protection resources for properly storing SOI and SOI-M.

Contact information for Ms. Delila Bruno is as follows:

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I look forward to continued communication between the NRC and the State of Montana.

Sincerely,



STEVE BULLOCK
Governor

CC:

General Matthew Quinn, Department of Military Affairs
Ms. Delila Bruno, Disaster and Emergency Services



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