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July 28, 2016

Mr. Joel Duling
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SUBJECT: NUCLEAR FUEL SERVICES, INC. – U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY
COMMISSION PHYSICAL SECURITY INSPECTION REPORT NO.
70-143/2016-403

Dear Mr. Duling:

This letter refers to the onsite inspection conducted from July 18 – 21, 2016, at your Erwin, Tennessee facility. The purpose of the inspection was to determine whether activities authorized by the licensee were conducted safely, and in accordance with U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) requirements. At the conclusion of the inspection and review, the inspection was discussed with Mr. M. McKinnon and other members of your staff.

Areas examined during the inspection included security systems testing and maintenance program; locks, keys, and combination program; physical barriers for the protected area and owner controlled area; security system power supply; lighting; compensatory measures; communications; assessment aids; and alarm stations. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations of activities in progress. There were no violations identified.

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Sincerely,

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