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September 19, 2016

Mr. Joel Duling
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SUBJECT: NUCLEAR FUEL SERVICES, INC. – U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY
COMMISSION PHYSICAL SECURITY INSPECTION REPORT NO.
70-143/2016-404

Dear Mr. Duling:

This letter refers to the onsite inspection conducted from August 29 – September 1, 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, the inspection results were discussed with Mr. M. McKinnon and other members of your staff.

Areas examined during the inspection included physical security plan and implementing procedures, safeguard contingency plan implementation review, security program audit, and security organization. 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,

/RA/

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