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The NRC has reviewed your application and concluded that the information satisfies the requirements of Title 10 of the Code of Federal Regulations (10 CFR) Part 73.37. This letter constitutes approval of Truck Route No. 253 which will expire December 31, 2021. The NRC expects your periodic review and update of the emergency phone numbers associated with this route. Changes to emergency contact numbers do not qualify as a route deviation or change.

If you have questions on this route approval or require additional information please contact Mr. Gerard A. Jackson at (301) 287-3593, or via e-mail at <u>Gerard.Jackson@NRC.Gov</u> or Alex Sapountzis at (301) 287-3660 or via e-mail at <u>Alexander.Sapountzis@NRC.Gov</u>.

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