



UNITED STATES  
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555-0001

January 26, 2017

Northpass, Ltd. DBA HIVIZ Shooting Systems  
ATTN: Mr. Phillip Howe  
Chief Executive Officer  
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SUBJECT: U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION APPROVAL OF  
NORTHPASS, LTD. REQUEST FOR WITHHOLDING INFORMATION  
FROM PUBLIC DISCLOSURE

Dear Mr. Howe:

Northpass, Ltd. submitted an affidavit dated November 7, 2016, executed by you, requesting that the technical drawings in Attachment B and assembly procedures in Attachment C, submitted in connection with your amendment request to your sealed source and device Registration Certificate and Exempt Distribution License be withheld from public disclosure pursuant to Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR) 2.390.

The affidavit stated that the submitted information should be considered exempt from mandatory public disclosure because the information is unavailable in other public documents and is of the type that if disclosed publicly, would cause substantial harm to Northpass, Ltd.

We have reviewed your application and the material in accordance with the requirements of 10 CFR 9.17 and 2.390 and, on the basis of your statements, have determined that the submitted information sought to be withheld contains trade secrets or confidential or privileged commercial or financial information and should be withheld from public disclosure.

Therefore, Northpass, Ltd. information in the letter dated November 7, 2016, will be withheld from public disclosure pursuant to 10 CFR 9.17 and 10 CFR 2.390(b)(4) and Section 103(b) of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended. Withholding from public inspection shall not affect the right, if any, of persons properly and directly concerned to inspect the documents.

If the basis for withholding this information from public inspection should change in the future such that the information could then be made available for public inspection, you should promptly notify the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC). You also should understand that the NRC may have cause to review this determination in the future, for example, if the scope of a Freedom of Information Act request includes your information. In all review situations, if the NRC makes a determination adverse to the above, you will be notified of the date of public disclosure, in advance which will be a reasonable time thereafter.

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If you have any questions, please contact me at (301) 415-7124, or by e-mail at [Celimar.Valentin-Rodriguez@nrc.gov](mailto:Celimar.Valentin-Rodriguez@nrc.gov).

Sincerely,

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