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**Subject: GNF Draft Responses to the NRC Requests for Additional Information for Review of the Model No. RAJ-II**

This letter transmits, in Enclosure 1, the Global Nuclear Fuel (GNF) preliminary draft responses to the Reference 1 Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) Requests for Additional Information (RAIs) for the RAJ-II transportation package submittal provided in Reference 2. These draft responses were provided to the NRC staff to facilitate a discussion between GNF and NRC staff during a public meeting on March 17, 2017.

Please note that Enclosure 1 contains proprietary information of the type that GNF maintains in confidence and withholds from public disclosure. The affidavit contained within Enclosure 3 identifies that the designated information in Enclosure 1 has been handled and classified as proprietary to GNF. GNF hereby requests that the information in Enclosure 1 be withheld from public disclosure in accordance with the provisions of 10 CFR 2.390 and 9.17. Enclosure 2 is the non-proprietary version of Enclosure 1.

If you have any questions about the information provided here, please contact me at (910) 819-6684 or Lisa Schichlein at (910) 819-4815.

Sincerely,

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References:

1. Huda Akhavannik (NRC) to Scott P. Murray (GNF), "Request for Additional Information for Review of the Model No. RAJ-II," M170062, March 7, 2017.
2. Scott P. Murray (GNF) to Director, Division of Spent Fuel Management (NRC), "GNF-A Request for Revision of Certificate of Compliance (CoC) USA/9309/B(U)F-96 for Model No. RAJ-II Package," SPM 16-035, September 30, 2016. (ADAMS Accession No. ML16274A097).

Enclosures:

1. Draft Responses to the NRC RAIs for the RAJ-II Transportation Package, GNF Proprietary Information – Class II (Internal)
2. Draft Responses to the NRC RAIs for the RAJ-II Transportation Package, Non-Proprietary Information – Class I (Public)
3. Affidavit for Enclosure 1

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