



**UNITED STATES  
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April 18, 2017

Patricia A. Crumley, P.E.  
President  
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SUBJECT: GEOCONSULT, INC, CONSENT TO TRANSFER LICENSE, MAIL CONTROL  
NO. 592879

Dear Ms. Crumley:

By the letter dated November 28, 2016, Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) Accession No. ML17032A365, you requested written consent by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) to a direct transfer of control of GeoConsult, Inc. to Patricia A. Crumley, P.E. A request for additional information was sent to you via email on February 14, 2017, ADAMS Accession No. ML17053A166. You responded in a letter dated March 13, 2017, ADAMS Accession No. ML17081A362, and stated that the transfer date was on April 7, 2015. Thus, this was a request for post-hoc approval to transfer control. GeoConsult, Inc. did not comply with NRC regulations as they did not receive the NRC's prior written approval for this transfer of control as required by 10 CFR 30.34(b) and Section 184 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended.

From the above letters, we understand that this transfer did not result in any change to the license address, licensed name, location of use, materials, persons using licensed material, or persons responsible for radiation safety at the licensed facility.

Based on the above understandings, as more fully detailed in the enclosed NRC staff's Safety Evaluation Report, which documents the NRC staff's safety review of the request, the NRC consents to the transfer of NRC Radioactive Materials License No. 52-23751-01. Future changes in the licensee's name, licensed use, licensed materials, licensed location, or persons responsible for licensed material require submission of a request to amend the license. NRC approval must be received prior to implementation of the proposed change.

Please find enclosed Amendment No. 8. With this amendment we have updated our records to reflect that you are now the President of GeoConsult, Inc., and the license format has been updated to reflect current NRC policy.

An environmental assessment for this action was not required, since this action is categorically excluded under 10 CFR 51.22(c)(14)(v).

Please review the enclosed document carefully and be sure that you understand and fully implement all the conditions incorporated into the amended license. If there are any errors or questions, please contact me at 610-337-5136 or via electronic mail at [Scott.Wilson@nrc.gov](mailto:Scott.Wilson@nrc.gov) so that appropriate corrections or answers can be provided.

You will be periodically inspected by the NRC. Failure to conduct your program in accordance with NRC regulations, license conditions, and representations made in your license application and supplemental correspondence with NRC will result in enforcement action(s) against you. This could include issuance of a Notice of Violation, or Imposition of a Civil Penalty, or an Order Suspending, Modifying or Revoking Your License as specified in the NRC Enforcement Policy. The NRC Enforcement Policy is available at:  
<http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/enforcement/>.

An electronic version of the NRC's regulations is available on the NRC Web Site at: [www.nrc.gov](http://www.nrc.gov). Additional information regarding use of radioactive materials may be obtained on the NRC Web Site at: <http://www.nrc.gov/materials/miau/mat-toolkits.html>. This site also provides the link to the toolbox for updated information on the revised regulations for naturally-occurring and accelerator-produced radioactive materials (NARM).

The NRC's Safety Culture Policy Statement became effective in June 2011. While a policy statement and not a regulation, it sets forth the agency's expectations for individuals and organizations to establish and maintain a positive safety culture. You can access the policy statement and supporting material that may benefit your organization on NRC's safety culture Web Site at: <http://www.nrc.gov/about-nrc/safety-culture.html>. We strongly encourage you to review this material and adapt it to your particular needs in order to develop and maintain a positive safety culture as you engage in NRC-regulated activities.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.390 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter and its enclosure will be available electronically for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room or from the NRC's document system (ADAMS). ADAMS is accessible from the NRC Web Site at: <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>.

P. Crumley

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Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

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Scott Wilson, Health Physicist  
Commercial, Industrial, R&D  
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cc: Alan R. Crumley, Radiation Safety Officer

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