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SUBJECT: DECOMMISSIONING FINANCIAL ASSURANCE

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) has reviewed the University of Wyoming statement of intent letter dated June 15, 2017 in the amount of \$1,125,000 that was submitted in accordance with 10 CFR 30.35 to satisfy decommissioning financial assurance requirements for NRC License 49-09955-10. Please note that one deficiency was identified in accordance with the enclosed analysis. The correct amount of decommissioning financial assurance for this license is \$1,125,000 for "byproduct material" and \$1,125,000 for "special nuclear material" for a total of \$2,250,000. You have two options to correct this deficiency as explained in the last page of the enclosure. You can contact me at 817-200-1189 if you have any questions about this matter.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.390 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter 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>.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

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