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SUBJECT: APPLICATION FOR THE MODEL NO. NPC TRANSPORT PACKAGE, REVISION 9 – ACCEPTED FOR REVIEW (CAC NO. L25228)

Dear Mr. Murray:

By letter dated June 19, 2017 (ADAMS Accession No. ML 17170A025), you submitted an application for revising Certificate of Compliance (CoC) No. 9294, for the Model No. NPC transport package. The package is designed to transport homogeneous or heterogeneous forms of Type A quantities of uranium bearing material enriched up to 5 weight percent. The application proposes including additional uranium concentrates and boiling water reactor/pressurized water reactor (BWR/PWR) pellet payload.

The staff performed an acceptance review of your application to determine if the application contains sufficient technical information in scope and depth to allow the staff to complete a detailed technical review.

We have established a schedule for the review and estimated that the staff may need approximately 350 hours to complete its review. The schedule allows for the staff to issue the first request for additional information (RAI) in October 2017 and, if a second RAI is not needed, a CoC in January 2018, based on you responding to the first RAI in November 2017. In general, no additional changes to the application should be submitted except for changes resulting from your response to an RAI.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at (301) 415-6999.

Sincerely,

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Norma Garcia-Santos, Project Manager Spent Fuel Licensing Branch Division of Spent Fuel Management Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards

Docket No. 71-9294 CAC No. L25228

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