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References: [1] USNRC Letter, Pierre Saverot to Luis Hinojosa, dated September 25, 2017

Subject: HI-STAR 80 Schedule for Response to 2<sup>nd</sup> Round of RAIs

Dear Mr. Saverot:

In order to address the performance of cask materials under fire accident conditions as requested in [1], a minor change to the shielding design of the cask was required. The corresponding revised safety evaluations are now being finalized, and we expect to submit the documents to NRC for their final review by the middle to end of February 2018.

If you have any questions, then please contact me at 856-797-0900, ext. 3659.

Sincerely,

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