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Mr. Robin DeLaBarre  
Office of Nuclear Energy, Safety  
& Security, Room 33200 HST  
Bureau of International Security  
& Nonproliferation  
U.S. Department of State  
2201 C Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20520

Dear Mr. DeLaBarre:

Enclosed is an application received by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), dated March 14, 2018, from Baker Hughes Oilfield Operations, LLC, for a specific license (PXB220.00) to export Category 2 quantities of Americium-241, Americium-241/Beryllium, Cesium-137, and Cobalt-60 to Sudan. The sealed source will be used for oil and gas well logging operations.

Since Sudan is on the embargoed destinations list (10 CFR Part 110.28), before taking action on this new request, we would appreciate your views, in accordance with established procedures and from the overall perspective of the Executive Branch, as to whether the requested export meets the applicable criteria in the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Janice E. Owens", written in a cursive style.

Janice E. Owens, Acting Chief  
Export Controls and Nonproliferation Branch  
Office of International Programs

Enclosure:  
Export License Application

cc w/enclosure:

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