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Subject: Acceptance review 2019 financial surety estimate

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SUBJECT: ACCEPTANCE REVIEW, 2019 FINANCIAL SURETY ESTIMATE UPDATE, CROW BUTTE RESOURCES, INC., CRAWFORD, NEBRASKA, SOURCE MATERIALS LICENSE, SUA-1534

Dear Mr. Nelson,

By letter dated September 26, 2018 (Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) Accession No. ML18276A085),

Cameco Resources Crow Butte Operation submitted the 2019 update to the financial surety estimate for activities at its Crawford,

Nebraska, in situ uranium recovery facility. The NRC staff has completed its acceptance review of the surety estimate

and has found the estimate acceptable for further detailed technical review. Please note that the complete technical

review may identify technical issues that require additional information.

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electronically for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room or from the Publicly Available Records component of NRC's

ADAMS. ADAMS is accessible from the NRC Web site at http://www.nrc.gov/readingrm/adams.html.

If you have any questions concerning the above, please contact me at (301) 415-6443 or via

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Sincerely,

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