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UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

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Docket No. 40-8771

Nuclear Assurance Corporation
ATTN: Mr. Bob Ward, Manager
Safety and Environmental
Affairs
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Gentlemen:

We have completed a preliminary review of your application requesting a source material license for the proposed Arizona Public Service Company Peterson Project research and development scale in situ uranium recovery facility in Converse County, Wyoming, and find it to be acceptable for further processing. Docket No. 40-8771 has been assigned to this case and should be referred to in all future correspondence concerning this project.

I can be reached by telephone at 301-427-4536 if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

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