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MEMORANDUM FOR: FILES

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SUBJECT:

FINDINGS RELATED TO THE PROPOSED IMPORT OF 500 GRAMS

URANIUM, ENRICHED TO 8.0% FROM THE UK-ISNM80012

On September 18, 1980, Transnuclear, Incorporated, requested a license authorizing the import of 500 grams of uranium, enriched to 8.0% as $\rm UO_2$ pellets, from Belgium.

The import of low-enriched uranium in the $\rm UO_2$ form has been examined on numerous occasions in the past. This proposed import presents essentially no changes in circumstances prevailing at the time of the previous imports, for example, reference ISNM79019. Issuance of the license is recommended.

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