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XSNM 271 and
XSNM 1645

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Subject: Nuclenor Fuel Exports Under XSNM 271 and 1645

Dear Ms. Wright,

This letter confirms my telecon of December 4, 1980 concerning the status of pending exports of fuel bundles for the Nuclenor reactor in Spain under the subject licenses.

1. Nuclenor now has 18 spare fuel bundles in storage.
2. GE now has 96 bundles in storage of which only 33 would be exportable under XSNM 271. My letter of October 15, 1979 to Mr. Shea requested an additional 175 kilograms of U-235 in 11,500 kilograms uranium to cover these 96 bundles.
3. Nuclenor currently plans to change from the previous twelve-month refueling cycle to an eighteen-month cycle. To accomplish this change, calculations now confirm that an additional 8 bundles will be needed to supplement the 114 mentioned above. Accordingly, the issuance of XSNM 1645, applied for on January 11, 1980, will be needed as well as Amendment 6 to XSNM 271.

Thank you for your interest in these cases. If additional information would be helpful at this time, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

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