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Mr. Richard E. Stephens, Director  
Division of University and Industry Programs  
Office of Field Operations Management  
Office of Energy Research  
Department of Energy  
Washington, DC 20585

Subject: Rule for Conversion of HEU to LEU

Dear Mr. Stephens:

General Atomics (GA) operates one of the non-power reactors with HEU that is covered by the Rule on Conversion of HEU to LEU. To proceed with our plans, we need to know whether there are funds available in the DOE conversion program to convert our TRIGA Mark F reactor in fiscal year 1993.

Your early response will be appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Keith E. Asmussen, Director  
Licensing, Safety and Nuclear Compliance

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cc: Charles L. Miller, U.S. NRC

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