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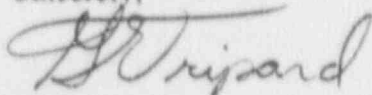
Ref: Docket 50-27

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the requirements of 10 CFR 50.64(C)(2), Washington State University hereby officially notifies the Commission that funds for the conversion of the WSU reactor from HEU to LEU will not be available during fiscal year 1991. Washington State University was recently notified by the D.O.E. of the unavailability of funds by means of a letter from R. E. Stephens, a copy of which is enclosed.

Washington State University will notify the Commission should circumstances change and will submit the required certification letter for fiscal year 1992 by May 27, 1992 if funds are again available for fiscal year 1992 or the required conversion proposal should funds become available for fiscal year 1992.

Sincerely,



G. E. Tripard  
Acting Director

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Department of Energy  
Washington, DC 20585

January 31, 1991

Dr. William E. Wilson  
Nuclear Radiation Center  
Washington State University  
Pullman, Washington 99164

Dear Dr. Wilson:

In accordance with Nuclear Regulatory Commission Rule, 10 CFR Part 50, Limiting The Use of Highly Enriched Uranium in Domestically Licensed Research and Test Reactors, you are hereby notified that Federal funding for conversion of your reactor will not be available during Fiscal Year 1991.

You will be notified in the event these circumstances change.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Richard Stephens".

Richard E. Stephens  
Associate Director for  
University and Science Education  
Office of Energy Research