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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
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MEMORANDUM FOR: The Files

FROM: R. Neal Moore, Senior Licensing Officer
Export/Import and International Safeguards
Office of International Programs

SUBJECT: FINDINGS RELATED TO THE PROPOSED IMPORT OF HIGHLY
ENRICHED URANIUM FROM CANADA-ISNM83008

On April 15, 1983 Babcock & Wilcox requested a license authorizing the import of approximately 25.200 kilograms of uranium enriched to 93.16% U-235 in the form of unirradiated uranium/zircalloy, metal pipe sections, cylinders, compacts and solid scrap and waste. The material will move by trucks from Eldorado Nuclear at Port Hope, Ontario to the B&W scrap recovery facility, Lynchburg, Virginia in shipments of less than 5 kilograms each, in USDOT specification 6L containers.

This request is essentially the same as previous requests to import HEU from Canada and represents no material change in circumstances from conditions and findings which existed at the time of the earlier imports. The import does not present an undue risk to the health and safety or to the environment and will not be inimical to the common defense and security. The staff recommends this license be issued.

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