

## UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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Mr. Robin DeLaBarre
Office of Nuclear Energy, Safety
& Security, Room 3320 HST
Bureau of International Security
& Nonproliferation
U.S. Department of State
2201 C Street, NW
Washington, DC 20520

Dear Mr. DeLaBarre:

Enclosed is an application (XB1344), dated March 13, 2020, from Humboldt Scientific, Inc., and received by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, for the export of up to 30 density/moisture gauges to Iraq. Each gauge contains 0.00037 TBq of cesium-137 and 0.00148 TBq of americium-241.

Before taking action on this request, we would appreciate your views, in accordance with Title 10 to the *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 110.41(a)(10), from the overall perspective of the Executive Branch, as to whether the requested export meets the applicable criteria in the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended.

Sincerely,

4/9/2020

X Peter J. Habighorst

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Signed by: Peter J. Habighorst

Peter J. Habighorst, Chief Export Controls and Nonproliferation Branch Office of International Programs

Enclosure:

**Export License Application** 

cc w/enclosure:

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