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Mr. Robin DeLaBarre
Office of Nuclear Energy Affairs
Bureau of Political Military Affairs
U.S. Department of State
Washington, DC 20520

Dear Mr. DeLaBarre:

Enclosed is an application for an export license (XSNM03041), recently received by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, for the export of certified reference materials, containing depleted, natural and low-enriched uranium to the Ukraine.

Before taking action on this request, we would appreciate your views, in accordance with established procedures and 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,

Ronald D. Hauber, Director Division of Nonproliferation,

Rosale D Hause

Exports and Multilateral Relations Office of International Programs

Enclosure: Appl. dtd. 5/11/98

(XSNM03041 - Ukraine)

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