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October 18, 2021

Mr. Dominik Bussmann, Licensing Manager Gesellschaft für Nuklear-Service mbH Frohnhauser Straße 67 45127 Essen Germany

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE FOR THE MODEL NO.

CASTOR® GEO69 STORAGE CASK - REQUEST FOR SUPPLEMENTAL

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Dear Mr. Bussmann:

By letter dated June 7, 2021 (Agencywide Documents Access and Management System Accession No. ML21188A178), Gesellschaft für Nuklear-Service mbH submitted an application for a certificate of compliance for the Model No. CASTOR® geo69 storage cask. The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission staff performed an acceptance review of your application to determine whether the application contains sufficient technical information in scope and depth to allow the staff to complete a detailed technical review.

This letter is to advise you that, based on our acceptance review, the application does not contain sufficient technical information. The information needed to continue our review is described as a request for supplemental information (RSI) in the enclosures to this letter. Please note that addressing this RSI does not preclude the staff from issuing further requests for additional information during the course of the detailed technical review of this application.

The staff also included observations to allow you to start earlier on items that may be asked at a later date. Observations are not the result of a detailed technical review and may be resolved once staff begins a detailed review. Responses to observations are not required for staff to begin its technical review.

In order to schedule our technical review, the RSI response should be provided within 8 weeks from the date of this letter. If the RSI responses are not received by this date, the application may not be accepted for review and the staff may discontinue any further review.

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Please reference Docket No. 72-1052 and Enterprise Project Identifier (EPID) No. L-2021-NEW-0006 in future correspondence related to this request. The staff is available to meet to discuss your proposed responses. If you have any questions, I may be contacted at +1 (301) 415-6999 or via email at Norma.GarciaSantos@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,

Maya Suns Signed by Garcia Santos, Norma on 10/18/21

Norma García Santos, Project Manager Storage and Transportation Licensing Branch Division of Fuel Management Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards

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Enclosures:

1. Non-proprietary RSI

2. Proprietary RSI

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