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SUBJECT: LOUISIANA ENERGY SERVICES – INTERIM AUTHORITY TO OPERATE
EXTENSION TILL MARCH 1, 2023 (ENTERPRISE PROJECT IDENTIFICATION
NUMBER L-2021-LLL-0007)

Dear Wyatt Padgett:

We have reviewed your letter dated June 22, 2022 (Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) Accession No. ML22178A048), requesting classified network reaccreditation for the Louisiana Energy Services, LLC, doing business as Urenco USA (UUSA), facility. In addition, UUSA has submitted acceptable Plan of Action and Milestones (POAM) detailing efforts to complete the required actions.

After reviewing the information provided, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) believes that the risk to operations, assets, or individuals resulting from the continued operation of these systems throughout a 7-month extension of the current Interim Authorization to Operate (IATO) is acceptable, contingent on the conditions provided in the enclosure. One additional condition for a POAM was added regarding revisions to the inventory program. This and the other conditions are described in the enclosed IATO extension.

Based on our review, the NRC staff has determined the IATO may be extended to March 1, 2023. The NRC staff's basis for approval is documented in the enclosed authorization assessment report.

Also enclosed is the approval of the IATO and supporting conditions that were issued by the Authorizing Official via email dated July 27, 2022.

This letter concludes work on the IATO extension request for July 2022. The Enterprise Project Identification Number L-2021-LLL-0007 will remain open to support future authorizing official related activities.

Enclosures 1 and 2 contain Official Use Only – Security-Related Information. Upon separation from the enclosures, this cover letter is decontrolled.

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In accordance with Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations*, Section 2.390 of the NRC's "Agency Rules of Practice and Procedure," a copy of this letter will be available for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room or from ADAMS. The NRC Public Document Room is open Monday-Friday by appointment made via email to the PDR.Resource@nrc.gov or by calling 1-800-397-4209. ADAMS is accessible from the NRC website at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html> (the Public Electronic Reading Room).

If you have any questions regarding this communication, please contact me at (301) 415-7154, or via email to Matthew.Bartlett@nrc.gov or Patrick James at (301) 415-6863, or via email to Patrick.James@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,



Signed by Bartlett, Matthew
on 07/29/22

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Office of Nuclear Material Safety
and Safeguards

Docket No.: 07003103
License No.: SNM-2010

Enclosures:

1. Authorization Assessment Report (non-public)
2. Interim Authority to Operate Email (non-public)

cc: LES@listmgr.nrc.gov

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