



January 27, 2023

Ms. Yoira Diaz-Sanabria
Chief, Storage and Transportation Licensing Branch
Division of Fuel Management
Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards
Nuclear Regulatory Commission

Dear Ms. Diaz-Sanabria:

Thank you for the update letter received on January 26, 2023, regarding the status of the NRC review of the joint HI-STORE Consolidated Interim Storage Facility (CISF) between Holtec and the Eddy-Lea Energy Alliance.

We understand that a project of this magnitude and complexity requires the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), as the regulating and licensing authority, to have all the information necessary to issue a licensing decision.

We look forward to the information that was recently provided allowing the NRC to render a decision while having a minimal impact to the original licensing decision timeline for 2023.

Should you have any further questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Kim Manzione".

Kimberly Manzione,
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cc Shana Helton
Jose Cuadrado