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SUBJECT: AMENDMENT 99 - APPROVAL OF LICENSE AMENDMENT REQUEST 23-03,  
REVISION 13 OF THE MOVEMENT PLAN FOR TRANSPORTATION OF  
CLASSIFIED CENTRIFUGE COMPONENTS/MATERIALS BETWEEN  
TRIPARTITE COUNTRIES AND THE U.S.

Dear Chris Schwarz:

By letters dated April 7, 2023, (Agencywide Documents Access and Management System [ADAMS] Accession Nos. ML23097A077), Louisiana Energy Services (LES), LLC dba Urenco USA (UUSA), requested the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) approval of an amendment to Materials License SNM-2010 to revise License Condition 10.k and approval of Revision 12 of the Movement Plan for Transportation of Classified Centrifuge Components/Materials between Tripartite Countries and the U.S.

By letter dated June 24, 2023 (ML23177A054), UUSA informed the NRC that the Centrifuge Collaboration Security Working Group had endorsed Revision 13 of the Movement Plan. As a result, UUSA requested NRC approval of Movement Plan, Revision 13, and that Materials License SNM-2010, License Condition 10.k be updated with this version.

The NRC staff has completed its review of the above submittals and find that the changes proposed are in accordance with the requirements of Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR) Section 95.39(e), and do not decrease the effectiveness of the Standard Practices Procedure Plan. Therefore, license amendment request 23-03 is approved and License Condition 10.k of SNM-2010 will be amended as follows:

- k. Movement Plan for Transportation of Classified Centrifuge Components/Materials between Tripartite Countries and the U.S. dated February 26, 2008, as revised by letters dated December 8, 2017, and June 24, 2023 (ML23177A054).

Enclosures 1 and 3 transmitted by this letter contain **Security Related Information**. When separated from Enclosures 1 and 3, this letter and Enclosure 2 are decontrolled.

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The above changes are documented in Amendment 99 to LES Materials License SNM-2010 and are attached to this letter as Enclosures 2 and 3.

Because all the activities noted above involve administrative actions, the NRC staff determined that the proposed activities do not individually or cumulatively have a significant effect on the human environment and meet the categorical exclusion provision in 10 CFR 51.22(c)(11). Therefore, in accordance with 10 CFR 51.22(c)(11), neither an Environmental Assessment nor an Environmental Impact Statement is warranted for this action.

In accordance with 10 CFR Part 2 “Agency Rules of Practice and Procedure,” a copy of this letter and Enclosure 3 will be available electronically for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room (PDR) or from the Publicly Available Records component of NRC’s ADAMS. ADAMS is accessible from the NRC website at: <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html> (the Public Electronic Reading Room). The PDR is open by appointment. To make an appointment to visit the PDR, please send an email to [PDR.Resource@nrc.gov](mailto:PDR.Resource@nrc.gov) or call 1-800-397-4209 or 301-415-4737, between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. eastern time (ET), Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

If you have any questions regarding this communication, please contact Jonathan Rowley at 301-415-4053, or via email at [jonathan.rowley@nrc.gov](mailto:jonathan.rowley@nrc.gov).

Sincerely,



Signed by Lav, Samantha  
on 10/06/23

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Office of Nuclear Material Safety  
and Safeguards

Docket No. 70-3103  
License No. SNM-2010

Enclosures:

1. Security Evaluation Report for ETC USA Movement Plan, Revision 13 (non-public)
2. Materials License SNM-2010 Amendment 99 (public)
3. Materials License SNM-2010 Amendment 99 (non-public)

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