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Subject: [External_Sender] RE: IN 2023-06 ML23289A249.pdf
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Yawar,

We have met with the telephone service providers for the DOE reservation and our withheld response is located here for your information. Please let me know if you have any questions.

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Kelly,

I have been asked to confirm that Centrus/ACO has received NRC Information Notice (IN) 2023-06 (see attached or online at <https://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/gen-comm/info-notices/2023/index.html>).

In 2019, the Federal Communications Commission granted all telecommunication carriers the authority to decommission infrastructure that supports copper-based telephone service. It is possible that Centrus or DOE's EOC at the Piketon site uses copper-based telephone services for connecting to the NRC Operations Center's Emergency Telecommunications Services (ETS) / Health Physics Network (HPN) and complying with Public Law 96-295 (requires the NRC to establish and maintain "a mechanism for instantaneous and uninterrupted verbal communication" with licensees).

The goal of IN 2023-06 is to make NRC licensees aware of the potential issue and consider alternatives, which are outlined in the "What you need to know" section of the IN.

In addition to confirming receipt of IN 2023-06, please let me know if Centrus or DOE's EOC at the Piketon site uses a copper-based telephone service to connect to ETS/HPN and if NRC assistance is required for an alternative (i.e., #2 or #3 in the "What you need to know" section of the IN).

Thank you – and please let me know if you have any questions.

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