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January 24, 2025

William Stenger, Asst. Vice President TranSystems Corporation d/b/a TranSystems Corporation Consultants 615 West Highland Avenue Ebensburg, PA 15931

SUBJECT: TRANSYSTEMS CORPORATION D/B/A TRANSYSTEMS CORPORATION

CONSULTANTS, NRC INSPECTION NO. (030-16053/2024001) AND NOTICE

OF VIOLATION

## Dear William Stenger:

By letter dated August 26, 2024, TranSystems Corporation d/b/a TranSystems Corporation Consultants submitted to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) a request for written consent to an indirect transfer of control of NRC Materials License number 37-17717-02. However, the indirect transfer of control resulting from Gannett Fleming, Inc. acquiring TranSystems Holdings, Inc. (the indirect parent of Licensee) through a merger of TranSystems Holdings, Inc. into a subsidiary of Gannett Flemming, Inc. occurred on August 5, 2024. Therefore, a reactive inspection was opened to review the indirect transfer of control that occurred on August 5, 2024. This inspection examined activities related to compliance with the Commission's rules and regulations related to the indirect change of control.

Based on the results of this inspection, the NRC has determined that one Severity Level IV violation of NRC requirements occurred. The violation was evaluated in accordance with the NRC's Enforcement Policy. The current Enforcement Policy is included on the NRC's website at <a href="https://www.nrc.gov/about-nrc/regulatory/enforcement/enforce-pol.html">https://www.nrc.gov/about-nrc/regulatory/enforcement/enforce-pol.html</a>. The violation is cited in the enclosed Notice of Violation (Notice) because the violation was identified by the NRC.

You are required to respond to this letter and should follow the instructions specified in the enclosed Notice when preparing your response. If you have additional information that you believe the NRC should consider, you may provide it in your response to the Notice. The NRC review of your response to the Notice will also determine whether further enforcement action is necessary to ensure compliance with regulatory requirements.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.390 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter and your response, if you choose to provide one, will be made available electronically for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room or from the NRC document system (ADAMS), accessible from the NRC website at <a href="http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html">http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html</a>. To the extent possible, your response should not include any personal privacy, proprietary, or safeguards information so that it can be made available to the Public without redaction.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Misty Liverett of my staff at (423) 855-6511 or by electronic mail at <a href="mailto:misty.liverett@nrc.gov">misty.liverett@nrc.gov</a>.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Monica Ford, Chief Commercial, Industrial, R&D and Academic Branch Division of Radiological Safety and Security Region I

Docket No. 030-16053 License No. 37-17717-02

Enclosure: Notice of Violation

cc w/ enclosure Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

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TranSystems Corporation
d/b/a TranSystems Corporation Consultants
Ebensburg, PA

Docket No. 030-16053 License No. 37-17717-02

During an NRC inspection conducted on November 13, 2024 – December 20, 2024, one violation of NRC requirements was identified. In accordance with the NRC's Enforcement Policy, the violation is listed below:

10 CFR 30.34(b)(1) requires, in part, that no license issued or granted pursuant to the regulations in this part and parts 31 through 36, and 39 nor any right under a license shall be transferred, assigned or in any manner disposed of, either voluntarily or involuntarily, directly or indirectly, through transfer of control of any license to any person, unless the Commission shall, after securing full information, find that the transfer is in accordance with the provisions of the Act and shall give its consent in writing.

Contrary to the above, on August 5, 2024, the licensee failed to receive the Commission's consent in writing prior to completing an indirect transfer of control of NRC license number 37-17717-02. Specifically, on August 26, 2024, 21 days after completion of the indirect transfer of control, NRC licensee TranSystems Corporation d/b/a TranSystems Corporation Consultants requested written consent to an indirect transfer of control resulting from Gannett Fleming, Inc. acquiring TranSystems Holdings, Inc. through a merger of TranSystems Holdings, Inc. into a subsidiary of Gannett Flemming, Inc. NRC approval of the indirect transfer of control was provided in writing in letter dated December 20, 2024.

This is a Severity Level IV violation (Enforcement Policy Section 6.3).

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 2.201, TranSystems Corporation d/b/a TranSystems Corporation Consultants is hereby required to submit a written statement or explanation to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, ATTN: Document Control Desk, Washington, D.C. 20555, with a copy to the Regional Administrator, Region I, within 30 days of the date of the letter transmitting this Notice of Violation (Notice). This reply should be clearly marked as a "Reply to a Notice of Violation" and should include for each violation: (1) the reason for the violation, or, if contested, the basis for disputing the violation, (2) the corrective steps that have been taken and the results achieved, (3) the corrective steps that will be taken to avoid further violations, and (4) the date when full compliance will be achieved. Your response may reference or include previous docketed correspondence, if the correspondence adequately addresses the required response. If an adequate reply is not received within the time specified in this Notice, an order or a Demand for Information may be issued as to why the license should not be modified, suspended, or revoked, or why such other action as may be proper should not be taken. Where good cause is shown, consideration will be given to extending the response time.

If you contest this enforcement action, you should also provide a copy of your response to the Director, Office of Enforcement, United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001. Under the authority of Section 182 of the Act, 42 U.S.C. 2232, any response which contests an enforcement action shall be submitted under oath or affirmation.

Your response will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room (PDR) and on the NRC website. To the extent possible, it should, therefore, not include any personal privacy,

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proprietary, or safeguards information so that it can be made publicly available without redaction. However, if you find it necessary to include such information, you should clearly indicate the specific information that you desire not to be placed in the PDR and provide the legal basis to support your request for withholding the information from the public.

In accordance with 10 CFR 19.11, you may be required to post this Notice within two working days of receipt.

Dated this 24 day of January 2025