Licensee Name: Whitestone Associates, Inc. License No.: 29-30575-01 Docket No.: 3035405

Scott Pearce, P.E.:

Note: Please confirm receipt of this email. Note: Additional action required below.

As you are hopefully aware, the State of Connecticut (State) intends to enter into an Agreement with the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC). Under the Agreement, the NRC would relinquish to the State regulatory authority for certain licenses authorizing the use of byproduct, source, and special nuclear material. It is anticipated that the Agreement would become effective on or about September 30, 2025. You are receiving this email for awareness of the transition plan as an NRC materials licensee located in and/or authorized to use radioactive material in the State of Connecticut.

The NRC will suspend performance of work on incoming non-emergent licensing actions received after August 15, 2025. All new applications, amendment requests, and complex terminations received after that date will be forwarded to the State for completion. The NRC will continue to process requests that require immediate action through the anticipated effective date of the Agreement.

In addition, your NRC license authorizes you to conduct licensed activities at temporary jobsites anywhere the NRC maintains jurisdiction. We ask that you review your license and choose one of the following two options listed below.

Please reply to this email and place an X in the square indicating your selection of the options shown below. Your response to this matter is requested by no later than June 30, 2025.

You have reviewed your current license and have determined that you need to maintain both an NRC license and a State of Connecticut license. You therefore request that your existing NRC license be amended to remove authorization for use of material in the State of Connecticut and authorize work activities only in Non-Agreement States. In addition, you request that the NRC issue a new license for work activities only in the State of Connecticut. You understand that your new license will then be transferred to the State of Connecticut in conjunction with the effective date of the Agreement between the NRC and the State of Connecticut. You further understand that you will be assessed annual fees to maintain both the NRC and the State of Connecticut licenses. ☐ You have reviewed your current license and no longer find it necessary for authorization to conduct licensed activities in NRC-regulated states and therefore request that your existing NRC license be amended to authorize the use of material only in the State of Connecticut. You request that this be effective on the date the Agreement between the NRC and the State of Connecticut is signed. You understand that upon the effective date of the Agreement, you will be licensed by the State of Connecticut to conduct work only within the State of Connecticut and as such must file an NRC form 241 (reciprocity) prior to performing any work in States under the NRC's jurisdiction or in areas of Exclusive Federal Jurisdiction. You further understand that upon the effective date of the Agreement you will be assessed annual fees by the State of Connecticut.

If you have any questions regarding this email, please contact the Division of Radiological Safety and Security at (610) 337-5000 or by email at <u>R1DRSSMail.Resource@nrc.gov</u>.

Communications with the State of Connecticut should be addressed to:

Radiation Division Bureau of Air Management Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection 79 Elm Street Hartford, Connecticut 06106-5127 860-424-3029 DEEP.LRMReg@ct.gov

Thank you for your attention.

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