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Licensee Name : GEOMAT Inc.

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Via Electronic Mail

**SUBJECT: Application for Approval of Indirect Transfer of Control:
Radioactive Materials License No. 30-35768-01 (Docket No. 030-39396)**

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to Section 184 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended ("AEA"), and 10 CFR § 30.34(b), GEOMAT, Inc., a New Mexico corporation, ("Licensee") and Obsidian Group Acquisitions, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Obsidian") (collectively, "Applicants") submit this application to request the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's ("NRC's") consent to a change in control of NRC Radioactive Materials License No. 30-35768-01 (the "License").

Pursuant to an acquisition agreement signed on October 1, 2025 (the "Acquisition Agreement"), Obsidian expects, subject to NRC approval, to acquire the right to all interests in Licensee (the "Acquisition"), which will ultimately result in an indirect transfer of control of the License. Under the terms of the Acquisition Agreement, Obsidian will acquire (1) no more than thirty (30) percent of the membership interests in Licensee as of the date of the signing of the Acquisition Agreement, and (2) an option to acquire the remaining membership interests in Licensee (approximately seventy (70) percent) after receipt of NRC consent for such acquisition (the "Option").¹

Between the signing of the acquisition agreement and the exercise of the Option, which will not occur until after NRC issues its consent to such additional acquisition, the current stockholders of Licensee, Matthew J. Cramer, Nathan J. Compton, and James A. Ezzell, will retain control over Licensee, including all NRC licensed materials and licensed activities, as well as the authority to direct personnel involved in licensed activities. Obsidian will have no right to direct the use of any licensed materials or the actions of personnel responsible for licensed activities under the License until the Option is exercised. Accordingly, there will be no transfer of control of the License until the NRC grants its consent.

¹ For tax purposes, just prior to signing of the Acquisition Agreement, the current shareholders of the Licensee will convert the Licensee into a limited liability company. Prior to the consummation of the Acquisition, the current shareholders of Licensee will own one hundred (100) percent of the stock in the corporation and retain full control over the Licensee, including all licensed activities.


Licensee is a New Mexico corporation headquartered in Farmington, New Mexico. Licensee uses gauges utilizing radioactive material to provide services related to measuring physical properties of materials. Subsequent to the Acquisition and the exercise of the Option, Licensee will continue to exist as a separate entity, will continue as the holder of the License and will continue its operations as before the transaction, but as a wholly owned subsidiary of Obsidian. Licensee will remain in possession and control of the licensed instruments, and the use of its licensed instruments. Subsequent to the exercise of the Option, the day-to-day operations under the License will remain unchanged, with operations taking place at the same location and using the same materials, facility, and procedures – all under the same executive officers and Radiation Safety Officer, Nathan E. Compton, P.E. No changes to Licensee's procedures, training program, or safety program are planned as a result of the Acquisition, including the exercise of the Option. Accordingly, the public health and safety will not be endangered by the indirect transfer of the License.


The only substantive change contemplated by the Acquisition that is relevant to control of the License is the transfer of indirect ownership of the Licensee to Obsidian. Obsidian is a holding company doing business under the trade name "UES". Obsidian owns several engineering firms throughout the United States that currently hold NRC and Agreement State materials licenses; including NRC Materials License number 04-29106-01, held by Obsidian subsidiary Construction Testing and Engineering, Inc, the indirect transfer of which was approved by NRC Region IV on November 19, 2024 and NRC Materials License number 42-35196-01, held by Obsidian subsidiary UES Professional Solutions 45 LLC the indirect transfer of which was approved by NRC Region 4 on July 2, 2025. As such, Obsidian should be considered a "known entity" for the purpose of this license transfer.

Attachment 1 hereto presents a simplified organization chart illustrating the ownership of Licensee prior to and following the consummation of the Acquisition. Attachment 2 hereto presents the information required by the NRC for transfer of control applications under its guidance in NUREG-1556, Volume 15, Appendix E.

Applicants are seeking to close the Acquisition as soon as possible. Accordingly, Applicants request that NRC provide its consent to the Acquisition as soon as possible and no later than October 31, 2025. If you have any questions or comments pertaining to this application, please contact counsel to Obsidian for nuclear regulatory matters, M. Stanford Blanton (205-226-3417, sblanton@balch.com) or Grant W. Eskelsen (202-661-6344, geskelsen@balch.com), at Balch & Bingham LLP.

Respectfully,

Signed by:

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 Matthew J. Cramer, P.E.
 President
 GEOMAT, Inc.

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 Benjamin Butterfield
 Secretary and General Counsel
 Obsidian Group Acquisitions, Inc.

Enclosures: Attachment 1, Simplified Organizational Chart Illustrating the Acquisition

Attachment 2, NUREG-1556, Volume 15, Rev.1, Appendix E (Information Needed for Transfer of Control Application)

cc: Nathan E. Compton, Radiation Safety Officer, GEOMAT, Inc.
M. Stanford Blanton, Balch & Bingham LLP
Grant W. Eskelsen, Balch & Bingham LLP
Alexus Willis, Health Physicist, USNRC

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that, to the best of my knowledge, the information contained in the above application pertaining to GEOMAT, Inc. is true and correct.

Executed on October 1, 2025

Signed by:

Matthew J. Cramer

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Matthew J. Cramer, President
GEOMAT, Inc.

915 Malta Ave. Farmington, NM 87401

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that, to the best of my knowledge, the information contained in the above application pertaining to Obsidian Group Acquisitions, Inc. and its subsidiaries and affiliates is true and correct.

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Attachment 1

Simplified Organizational Chart Illustrating the Acquisition

Pre-Acquisition

Matthew J. Cramer, President - Owner
Nathan J. Compton - Owner
James A. Ezzell - Owner

Obsidian Group Acquisitions,
Inc.

GEOMAT, Inc.

Nathan E. Compton, RSO

Post Acquisition

Obsidian Group Acquisitions

GEOMAT, LLC.*

*After conversion prior to the Closing Date, of
Licensee to a limited liability company.

Matthew J. Cramer, President
Nathan E. Compton, RSO

Attachment 2

**NUREG-1556, Volume 15, Rev. 1, Appendix E
(Information Needed for Transfer of Control Application)**

Information Needed For Transfer of Control Application

Include a contact name and either U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) regional office or Headquarters telephone numbers for follow-up information, as required.

NRC Region: Region 4
Telephone: (817) 200-1100

Contact: Neil O'Keefe
Email: RidsRgn4MailCenter@nrc.gov

Fax: ()

Definitions:

Control: Control of a license is in the hands of the person or persons who are empowered to decide when and how that license will be used. That control is to be found in the person or persons who, because of ownership or authority explicitly delegated by the owners, possess the power to determine corporate policy and, thus, the direction of the activities under the license.

Transferee: A transferee is an entity that proposes to purchase or otherwise gain control of an NRC-licensed operation.

Transferor: A transferor is an NRC licensee selling or otherwise giving up control of a licensed operation.

Information Needed for Transfer of Control

Licensees must provide full information and obtain NRC's **prior written consent** before transferring control of the license. Provide the following information concerning changes of control by the applicant (transferor and/or transferee, as appropriate). If any items are not applicable, so state.

1. *Describe any planned changes in the organization, including but not limited to, transfer of stocks or assets and mergers, change in members on Board of Directors, etc. Provide the new licensee name, mailing address, and contact information, including phone numbers. Clearly identify when the amendment request is due to a name change only.*

RESPONSE: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission License No. 13-32182-01 ("License") is currently held by GEOMAT, Inc. ("Licensee"). Licensee is a New Mexico corporation headquartered in Farmington, NM. Licensee uses gauges utilizing radioactive material to provide services related measuring physical properties of materials.

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2. *Describe any changes in personnel or duties that relate to the licensed program. Include training and experience for new personnel and any changes in the training program.*

RESPONSE: There are no changes in personnel nor any of the licensed programs, including the training program. The Radiation Safety Officer will remain Nathan E. Compton, P.E.

3. *Describe any changes in the location, facilities, equipment, radiation safety program, use, possession, waste management, or other procedures that relate to the licensed program.*

RESPONSE: No such changes have occurred or are planned in connection with the indirect transfer.

4. *Describe the status of the licensee's facilities, equipment, and radiation safety program, including any known contamination and whether decontamination will occur prior to transfer. Include the status of calibrations, leak tests, area surveys, wipe tests, training, quality control, and related records.*

RESPONSE: There are no changes in the status of facilities, equipment, or radiation safety program due to the transfer. Licensee is in compliance with respect to calibrations, leak tests, area surveys, wipe tests, training, quality control, and related records.

5. *If current decommissioning funding plans (DFP) will be changed as a result of the transfer, the revised **DFP** should be submitted. If other financial assurance documents will be changed as a result of the transfer, confirm that all financial assurance instruments associated with the license will be held in the transferee's name before the license is transferred, and as required by 10 CFR 30.35(f), the licensee must, within 30 days, submit financial instruments reflecting such changes.*

RESPONSE: Licensee's operations are unchanged. To the extent that a decommissioning funding plan is required, it has not and will not, be changed as a result of the transfer.

6. *Confirm that all records concerning the safe and effective decommissioning of the facility will be transferred to the transferee or to NRC, as appropriate. These records include documentation of surveys of ambient radiation levels and fixed and/or removable contamination, including methods and sensitivity.*

RESPONSE: The Applicants confirm that such records, which are current and were current at the time of signing of the Acquisition Agreement, remain with Licensee, which continues to hold the License.

7. *Confirm that both transferor and transferee agree to transferring control of the licensed material and activity, and the conditions of transfer, and that the transferee has been made aware of any open inspection items and its responsibility for possible resulting enforcement actions.*

RESPONSE: The Applicants confirm that they have agreed to the indirect transfer. There are no open inspection items pertaining to licensed activities.

8. *Confirm that the transferee will abide by all constraints, conditions, requirements, representations, and commitments of the transferor or that the transferee will submit a complete description of the proposed licensed program.*

RESPONSE: Licensee will remain the holder of the License after the transfer and will continue to abide by all constraints, conditions, requirements, representations, and commitments identified in and attributed to existing licensed activities after closing of the transaction. To the extent applicable, Obsidian agrees to and does abide by all constraints, conditions, requirements, representations, and commitments identified in and attributed to existing licensed activities after closing of the transaction.

9. *The transferee, in the case of fuel cycle facilities, shall provide documentation showing that it is financially qualified to conduct normal operations. The information can be in the form of income statements and balance sheet forecasts.*

RESPONSE: This question is not applicable to the licensed activities.

From: [Janine Katanic](#)
To: [R4 Licensing Action Submittals](#); [Giavanna Muffelletto](#); [Casey Alldredge](#)
Subject: FW: Application for Approval of Indirect Transfer of Control - GEOMAT
Date: Monday, November 17, 2025 9:32:31 AM
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UES NRC Region IV License Transfer Application - Geomat Inc. (Final).pdf

Hi Gia,

This came in during the furlough. Please make sure it is included when setting up licensing actions.

Janine

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Subject: [External_Sender] Application for Approval of Indirect Transfer of Control - GEOMAT

Hello. Please see attached application for NRC Region IV indirect license transfer. Please let us know if you have any questions or need anything additional. Thanks,



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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT - RECEIPT OF CORRESPONDENCE

Name and Address of Applicant and/or Licensee

GEOMAT Inc.
Nathan E. Compton, RSO
915 Malta Ave
Farmington, NM 87401

Date

12/04/2025

License Number(s)

30-35768-01

Mail Control Number(s)

654377

Licensing and/or Technical Reviewer or Branch

Giavanna Muffelletto

This is to acknowledge receipt of your: ☒ Letter and/or ☐ Application Dated: 10/01/2025

The initial processing, which included an administrative review, has been performed.

☒ Amendment ☐ Termination ☐ New License ☐ Renewal

☐ There were no administrative omissions identified during our initial review.

☐ This is to acknowledge receipt of your application for renewal of the material(s) license identified above. Your application is deemed timely filed, and accordingly, the license will not expire until final action has been taken by this office.

☐ Your application for a new NRC license did not include your taxpayer identification number. Please complete and submit NRC Form 531, Request for Taxpayer Identification Number, located at the following link: <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/forms/nrc531.pdf>
Follow the instructions on the form for submission.

☐ The following administrative omissions have been identified:

Your application has been assigned the above listed MAIL CONTROL NUMBER. When calling to inquire about this action, please refer to this control number. Your application has been forwarded to a technical reviewer. Please note that the technical review, which is normally completed within 180 days for a renewal application (90 days for all other requests), may identify additional omissions or require additional information. If you have any questions concerning the processing of your application, our contact information is listed below:

Select a location (Use keyboard arrows to select). . .

BETWEEN:

Accounts Receivable/Payable
and
Regional Licensing Branches

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INFORMATION FROM WBL

Program Code: 03121
Status Code: Pending Amendment
Fee Category: 3P
Exp. Date: 10/31/2039
Fee Comments:
Decom Fin Assur Req: N

License Fee Worksheet - License Fee Transmittal

A. REGION

1. APPLICATION ATTACHED

Applicant/Licensee: GEOMAT Inc.
Received Date: 10/03/2025
Docket Number: 3039396
Mail Control Number: 654377
License Number: 30-35768-01
Action Type: Amendment

2. FEE ATTACHED

Amount: n/a

Check No.: n/a

3. COMMENTS

Signed: Giavanna Muffelletto

Date: 12/04/25

B. LICENSE FEE MANAGEMENT BRANCH (Check when milestone 03 is entered / /)

1. Fee Category and Amount: _____

2. Correct Fee Paid. Application may be processed for:

Amendment: _____

Renewal: _____

License: _____

3. OTHER _____

Signed: _____

Date: _____

Agency: NRC

WBL WORKSHEET

DOCKET NUMBER: 3039396	LICENSE NUMBER: 30-35768-01	STATUS: Pending Amendment
MAIL CONTROL NUMBER: 654377	RECEIPT DATE: 10/03/2025	ACTION TYPE: Amendment
DUE DATE: 01/01/2026	INST. CODE: 35768	LICENSE REGION: Region 4
LICENSE TYPE: 30	ENTITY TYPE: C	LICENSE GROUP:
ISSUE DATE:	ORIGINAL DATE: 10/25/2024	EXPIRATION DATE: 10/31/2039
DECOMMISSIONING CATEGORY:	LAST ISSUE DATE:	
LICENSEE NAME: GEOMAT Inc.	DECOM FIN ASSUR REQD: N SUBM: N	
MAILING ADDRESS LINE1: 915 Malta Ave	CONT PLAN REQD: N APPRV: N	
MAILING ADDRESS LINE 2:		
CITY: Farmington	STATE: NM	ZIP: 87401
CONTACT PERSON: PREFIX:	FIRST NAME: Matthew	MIDDLE INITIAL: J.
LAST NAME: Cramer	SUFFIX:	
JOB TITLE: President	PHONE: 505 327-7928 FAX:	EMAIL: matt.cramer@geomate
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CITY:	STATE: New Mexico	ZIP:
BILLING CONTACT PERSON: FIRST NAME:	MIDDLE INITIAL:	LAST NAME:
PHONE:	EMAIL:	FAX:
PRIMARY PGM CODE: 03121	SECONDARY PGM CODE:	
INSPECTION REGION: Region 4	PRIORITY: 5	
RSO: PREFIX:	FIRST NAME: Nathan	MIDDLE INITIAL: LAST NAME Compton
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STATES WHERE USE IS AUTHORIZED:	0- ALL LISTED STATES 1- SAME AS STATE IN ADDRESS 2- ALL STATES 3- NON-AGREEMENT-STATES	
AUTHORIZED STATES (USE ONLY IF ABOVE IS ZERO):		