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U.S. Department of Energy Attn: Dr. James M. Shuler c/o L. F. Gelder Savannah River Research Campus 227 Gateway Drive, Room 310 Aiken, SC 29803

SUBJECT: USER REGISTRATION

Dear Dr. Shuler:

As requested by your letter dated August 30, 2016, we have registered the Department of Energy as a user of Certificate of Compliance No. 9979 in accordance with the provisions of 10 CFR 71.17 or 49 CFR 173.471, as applicable.

Sincerely,

Sandra Figueroa Licensing Assistant

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Division of Spent Fuel Management Office of Nuclear Material Safety

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Docket No. 71-9979

cc: Patrick W. MGuire, Savannah River National Laboratory