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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Attn: Ms. Gloria M. Bennington, Licensing Assistant
Office of Nuclear Security & Incident Response, Mail Stop T-4 D-8
11545 Rockville Pike
Rockville, MD 20852-2738

Dear Ms. Bennington:

Subject: Advanced Notification of Export Shipment

In accordance with the requirements for Implementation of the Convention of the Physical Protection of Nuclear Material, Framatome ANP, Inc. is submitting the information below regarding our upcoming export shipment to Japan under export licenses XSNM03426.

1. Shipper, Carrier, and Receiver

- a. Shipper - Framatome ANP, Inc.
2101 Horn Rapids Road
Richland, Washington 99352
(509) 375-8100
- b. Carrier - ECL Americas, Long Beach Corporate
444 West Ocean Blvd. Suite 1020
Long Beach, CA
(562) 491-5284
- c. Receiver - Nuclear Fuel Industries, Ltd.
Kumatori Works
950 Asahiro-nishi, 1-Chome, Sennan-gun
Osaka-ken, Japan

RIS Code – RJCX

2. Physical Description

Forty two (42) TNF-XI shipping containers of which forty two (42) contain enriched UO_2 and none (0) are empty. The shipment contains 9,036 kgU and 434 Kg U^{235} at an average enrichment of approximately 4.80 wt% U^{235} . The TNF-XI's are loaded in three sea containers.

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3. Transport Route

The shipment will depart from Everett, WA via the vessel "ECL Bright State" going to Tokyo, Japan. Upon arrival at Tokyo, Nuclear Fuel Industries, or its agent, will take physical custody of the shipment as arranged prior to shipment.

4. Schedule

The shipment is scheduled to depart Richland on June 4, 2006 and to depart Everett, WA on June 5, 2006 and is expected to arrive at Tokyo on June 20, 2006.

5. Assurance

The shipment will be protected during transport in accordance with IAEA Information Circular 225, "Physical Protection of Nuclear Materials".

If you have any questions, please call me on (509) 375-8380.

Very truly yours,



Dan L. Noss
Senior Scientist, Safeguards