

August 25, 2014

Mr. Timothy Tate, Manager
Environmental, Health, Safety
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AREVA NP, Inc.
2101 Horn Rapids Road
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SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF UPDATED SCHEDULES A AND B TO AREVA NP INC'S
STANDBY TRUST AGREEMENT FOR DECOMMISSIONING FINANCIAL
ASSURANCE; LICENSE NO. SNM-1227, DOCKET NO. 70-1257

Dear Mr. Tate:

The purpose of this letter is to acknowledge the receipt and approval of AREVA NP, Inc.'s (AREVA) changes made to AREVA's Standby Trust Agreement (STA) Schedules A and B.

By letter dated January 26, 2013 (Agencywide Documents Access and Management System Accession [ADAMS] Number ML12032A068), AREVA submitted a revised decommissioning cost estimate for its Richland Fuel Fabrication Facility. The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's reviewed and approved the increased cost estimate as stated in a letter dated November 25, 2013 (ADAMS No. ML13324A102). The submitted updated Schedules A and B include the revised cost estimate, in the amount of \$38,875,394, which is consistent with the approved decommissioning funding plan and therefore, found acceptable. Enclosed to this letter, you'll find the original signed copies of the STA. Please provide an original signed copy of the agreements after they are executed.

Please note that NRC staff is currently reviewing AREVA's license amendment request to change AREVA NP Inc.'s name to AREVA Inc. as conveyed in letter dated May 7, 2014 (ML14129A013). Therefore, the STA documents enclosed are still under AREVA NP Inc's name.

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If you have any questions on this matter, please contact Marilyn Diaz of my staff at 301-287-9068, or via e-mail to Marilyn.Diaz@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure:
Standby Trust Agreement Schedules A,
B, and C

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