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Mr. Robin DeLaBarre  
Office of Nuclear Energy, Safety  
& Security Affairs, Room 3320 HST  
Bureau of International Security  
& Nonproliferation  
U.S. Department of State  
2201 C Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20520

Dear Mr. DeLaBarre:

Enclosed is an application (XSOU8833), dated March 24, 2014, received by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission from AREVA Inc., in Richland, Washington for the export of 750,000 kilograms of depleted uranium dioxide (UO<sub>2</sub>) powder to MELOX near Avignon, France in support of a three phase project by AREVA's Richland facility related to the supply of uranium oxide for MELOX.

Assurances from France that the material will be subject to all of the terms and conditions of an agreement for cooperation are required. Your assistance in obtaining the necessary assurances will be appreciated.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Brooke G. Smith", is written over a light blue horizontal line.

Brooke G. Smith, Branch Chief  
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Enclosure:  
Application Dated 3/24/2014  
XSOU8833 - France  
Docket Number 11006153

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