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SUBJECT: ACCEPTANCE OF REVISED LICENSE RENEWAL APPLICATION FOR
VALLECITOS NUCLEAR CENTER (TECHNICAL ASSIGNMENT CONTROL NO.
L36034)

Dear Mr. Caine:

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) has conducted an acceptance review of your revised application to renew Special Nuclear Materials (SNM) License SNM-960, dated December 13, 2013, and revised March 18, 2015. The review of the renewal application has been assigned Technical Assignment Control (TAC) number L36034. Please reference this TAC number in any future correspondence associated with this revised license renewal request.

We have determined that the revised renewal application contains sufficient information to begin a detailed technical review. However, a revised Physical Security Plan and Material Control and Accounting program description will need to be submitted before those portions of the review can begin.

Under the timely renewal provision of Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR) 70.38(a), SNM-960 continues in effect until we have made our final determination on the renewal application.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.390 of the NRC's "Agency Rules of Practice, and Procedure," a copy of this letter will be available electronically for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room or from the Publicly Available Records System component of the NRC's ADAMS. ADAMS is accessible from the NRC Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html> (the Public Electronic Reading Room).

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If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at (301) 415-7553, or via e-mail to Breedda.Reilly@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,

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