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**Subject:** RE: Uranerz Energy Corp, Nichols Ranch ISR Project, Proposal to Train Plant Operators and Other Suitable Personnel to Perform Daily Inspections, LC 9.7  
**Date:** Friday, May 29, 2015 12:32:00 PM

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Dear Mr. Thomas:

Thank you for your response. With your authorization, NRC staff will begin reviewing the Uranerz May 20, 2015, submittal. As with any submission, there may be statements and items within the submission that require clarification or additional information prior to approval. NRC staff will not know until the review is complete if additional information is required if approval may be granted as submitted.

Sincerely;

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Mr. Linton,

Uranerz Energy Corporation (Uranerz) authorizes the NRC to charge TAC J00727 for time spent on reviewing the Uranerz May 20, 2015 submittal. Uranerz expects that the review will be done expeditiously with minimal charges and approval granted.

Thank you,

Mike

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**From:** Linton, Ron [<mailto:Ron.Linton@nrc.gov>]

**Sent:** Thursday, May 28, 2015 9:28 AM

**To:** Mike Thomas

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Re: Follow-up to Uranerz Responses to Acceptance review, Proposal to Train Plant Operators and Other Suitable Personnel to Perform Daily Inspections, Uranerz Energy Corporation, Nichols Ranch Project, Materials License SUA-1597, Campbell and Johnson Counties, Wyoming, Submission Incomplete (TAC J00727)

Dear Mr. Thomas:

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) has received your May 20, 2015, e-mail submission referenced above. The hard-copy document mailed Document Control to has not yet been replicated in NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) but should be added soon. We will notify you once it is replicated. NRC staff would like to begin reviewing the information provided prior to its addition into ADAMS.

The May 20, 2015 correspondence stated, "After being charged over \$16,000 for approximately 58.75 hours of review of the initial request and Uranerz responses with no formal responses from the NRC other than verbal communications, Uranerz expects that with this submittal there should not be any additional comments, and therefore no further incurred charges from NRC as it is in the form NRC requested in order to receive approval." NRC staff cannot review the submitted information without incurring additional charges to Uranerz Energy Corporation and therefore NRC staff will not begin review of the submission until Uranerz authorizes additional charges be incurred to TAC J00727. Please inform NRC staff how to proceed.

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 component of NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS). ADAMS is accessible from the NRC Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>.

Please contact me at 301-415-7777 or at [ron.linton@nrc.gov](mailto:ron.linton@nrc.gov) if you have additional questions.

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