

**Quarterly Status Report for Technical Assistance
Provided by the United States Department of Energy
July 1, 2015 – September 30, 2015
4th Quarter of Fiscal Year 2015**

I. Introduction

The Department of Energy (DOE) and the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) have entered into five interagency agreements for DOE to provide technical assistance in carrying out NRC's responsibilities with respect to classified matter protection programs at various licensee sites. These interagency agreements are:

- *J5709 - Classification of Information at the General Electric-Hitachi Global Laser Enrichment Uranium Enrichment Facility;*

Each of the interagency agreements contains terms that require DOE to provide quarterly reports describing DOE activities relating to each of the agreements.

This is the twelfth report prepared in accordance with the terms of the agreements.

II. Description of Activities During this Reporting Period

During the fourth quarter of fiscal year 2015, the DOE provided technical support to the NRC during the annual information security inspection at Global Laser Enrichment (GLE) in Wilmington, North Carolina, reviewed information from _____ and reviewed draft classification guidance developed by the NRC.

A summary of the activities associated with each facility follows.

A. Classification of Information at the General Electric-Hitachi Global Laser Enrichment Uranium Enrichment Facility - J5709

During this reporting period, the following technical support was provided for this agreement.

- Prepare travel authorization and make arrangements;
- Travel to the GLE facility in Wilmington, North Carolina, to participate in the annual NRC information security inspection;

- During the inspection, review a random sampling of classified documents generated since the last information security inspection; and
- During the inspection, review a random sampling of unclassified documents generated since the last information security inspection; and
- Prepare inspection report.

The cost accounting in support of this interagency agreement is summarized below:

Total Funding Provided	\$12,000.00
Previous Expenditures	\$3,578.23
Expenditures this Quarter:	
Technical Support	\$2,580.75
Travel Expenses	\$1,158.12
Equipment Purchased	\$0.00
Total	\$3,738.87
Cumulative Expenses	\$7,317.10
Funds Remaining	\$4,682.90

Based upon the current spending rates, we do not foresee a funding shortfall during the first quarter of the fiscal year 2016.