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ATTN: Document Control Desk  
Director, Division of Spent Fuel Management  
Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards  
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, DC 20555-0001

Re: Docket Number 71-0948

We request that the Quality Assurance Program Approval associated with the University of Arizona Nuclear Reactor Laboratory be terminated. The reactor facility has been decommissioned and the Nuclear Regulatory Commission license for this facility has been terminated.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you require additional information, please contact me at [silvain@email.arizona.edu](mailto:silvain@email.arizona.edu) or (520) 626-6850.

Sincerely,

Daniel Silvain  
Sr. Director

Enclosure

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**QUALITY ASSURANCE PROGRAM APPROVAL  
FOR RADIOACTIVE MATERIAL PACKAGES**

Pursuant to the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, the Energy Reorganization Act of 1974, as amended, and Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, Chapter 1, Part 71, and in reliance on statements and representations heretofore made in Item 4 by the organization named in Item 2, the Quality Assurance Program identified in Item 4 is hereby approved. This approval is issued to satisfy the requirements of Section 71.101 of 10 CFR Part 71. This approval is subject to all applicable rules, regulations, and orders of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission now or hereafter in effect and to any conditions specified below.

2. NAME

Nuclear Reactor Laboratory, The University of Arizona, Tucson

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3. DOCKET NUMBER

71-0948

4. QUALITY ASSURANCE PROGRAM APPLICATION DATE(S)

November 1, 2010

5. CONDITIONS

1. Activities authorized by this approval: procurement, maintenance, repair, and use are to be executed with regard to transportation packagings. All other activities (i.e., design, fabrication, assembly, testing, and modification) shall be satisfied by obtaining certifications from packaging suppliers that these activities were conducted in accordance with an NRC-approved Quality Assurance Program. It shall remain the responsibility of the Quality Assurance Program holder that all transportation activities meet the requirements of 10 CFR 71.101.
2. Records shall be maintained in accordance with the provisions of 10 CFR Part 71. Specifically:
  - a. Records of each shipment of licensed material shall be maintained for 3 years after that shipment [10 CFR 71.91(a)].
  - b. Records providing evidence of packaging quality shall be maintained for 3 years after the life of the packaging [10 CFR 71.91(d)].
  - c. Records describing activities affecting packaging quality shall be maintained for 3 years after this Quality Assurance Program Approval is terminated [10 CFR 71.135].
3. Planned and periodic audits of all aspects of the Quality Assurance Program shall be conducted in accordance with written procedures or checklists, by appropriately trained personnel not having direct responsibility in the areas being audited, in accordance with 10 CFR 71.137.

FOR THE U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

SIGNATURE

DATE

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