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SUBJECT: UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN – U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY  
COMMISSION SECURITY-RELATED INSPECTION REPORT  
NO. 50-602/2017-201

Dear Mr. Whaley:

From September 18-21, 2017, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) conducted an inspection at the University of Texas at Austin Nuclear Engineering Teaching Laboratory. The inspection included a review of activities authorized for your facility.

The inspection examined activities conducted under your license as they relate to security and compliance with the Commission's rules and regulations and with the conditions of your license. The inspector reviewed selected procedures and records, observed activities, and interviewed personnel. Based on the results of this inspection, no findings of non-compliance were identified. No response to this letter is required.

In accordance with Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* Section 2.390, "Public inspections, exemptions, requests for withholding," a copy of this letter and its enclosure will be available electronically for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room or from the Publicly Available Records component of NRC's document system (Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS)). ADAMS is accessible from the NRC Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html> (the Public Electronic Reading Room). However, because of the security-related items contained in our inspection report, and in accordance with 10 CFR 2.390(d), a copy of our report will not be available for public inspection.

Should you have any questions concerning this inspection, please contact William Schuster at 301-415-1590 or by electronic mail at [William.Schuster@nrc.gov](mailto:William.Schuster@nrc.gov).

Sincerely,

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