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SUBJECT: APPROVAL FOR RELEASE OF OLD SHRINERS BUILDING FOR
UNRESTRICTED USE

Dear Dr. Amurao:

This letter is in reference to the request to release the Old Shriners Building for unrestricted use. The remaining of the request dated February 6, 2018 will be completed under Control No. 602364. Enclosed is Amendment No. 96 to your NRC Material License No. 24-00167-11 in accordance with your request.

The NRC staff has reviewed your submittal. Based on its review, the staff has concluded that all radioactive material has been removed from Old Shriners Building and the residual contamination does not exceed current NRC criteria for unrestricted use.

An environmental assessment for this action is not required, since this action is categorically excluded under 10 CFR 51.22(c) (20) (iii).

The NRC's Safety Culture Policy Statement became effective in June 2011. While a policy statement and not a regulation, it sets forth the agency's *expectations* for individuals and organizations to establish and maintain a positive safety culture. You can access the policy statement and supporting material that may benefit your organization on NRC's safety culture Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/about-nrc/regulatory/enforcement/safety-culture.html>. We strongly encourage you to review this material and adapt it to your particular needs in order to develop and maintain a positive safety culture as you engage in NRC-regulated activities.

NRC's Regulatory Issue Summary (RIS) 2005-31 provides criteria to identify security-related sensitive information and guidance for handling and marking of such documents. This ensures that potentially sensitive information is not made publicly available through ADAMS, the NRC's electronic document system. Pursuant to NRC's RIS 2005-31 and in accordance with 10 Code of Federal Regulations 2.390, the enclosed license document is exempt from public disclosure because its disclosure to unauthorized individuals could present a security vulnerability. The RIS may be located on the NRC Web site at: <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/gen-comm/reg-issues/2005/ri200531.pdf> and the link for frequently asked questions regarding protection of security related sensitive information may be located at: <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/sensitive-info/faq.html>.

The enclosed document contains sensitive security-related information.
When separated from this cover letter this letter is uncontrolled.

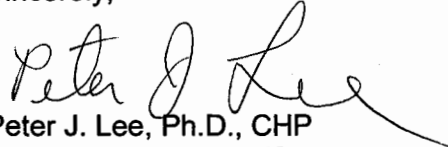
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If you have any questions, please contact me at (630) 829-9870.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Peter J. Lee". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Peter" and last name "Lee" being the most prominent parts.

Peter J. Lee, Ph.D., CHP
Materials Control, ISFSI, and
Decommissioning Branch

License No. 24-00167-11
Docket No. 030-02271

Enclosure:

Amendment No. 96