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April 20, 2020

Phil Schwer, Plant Manager
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**SUBJECT: WHEELABRATOR BRIDGEPORT, L.P. CONSENT TO TRANSFER LICENSE,
MAIL CONTROL NO. 617084**

Dear Mr. Schwer:

By letter dated October 29, 2019, documented in NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS), Accession No. ML19333B829, Wheelabrator Technology, L.P., on behalf of Wheelabrator Bridgeport, L.P., who was wholly owned by a private equity fund controlled by Energy Capital Partners, requested the NRC's consent to an indirect transfer of control of NRC Materials License number 06-23678-01 from Energy Capital Partners to MIP IV Holdings, L.P., also a private equity fund. The indirect transfer of control between Energy Capital Partners and MIP IV Holdings, L.P., occurred on February 12, 2019. Thus, this was a request for post-hoc approval to transfer control. Wheelabrator Bridgeport, L.P., and its parent companies did not comply with NRC regulations as they did not receive the Commission's prior written approval for this transfer of control as required by 10 CFR 30.34(b) and Section 184 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended. This represented a violation of NRC requirements and was dispositioned separately under NRC inspection report number 03029916/2019001 (ADAMS Accession No. ML19324D874).

From the letter referenced above, we understand that this transfer did not result in a change associated with the materials, persons using licensed material, the locations, facilities, and equipment, nor the radiation safety program.

Based on the above understandings, as more fully detailed in the enclosed NRC staff's Safety Evaluation Report, which documents the NRC staff's safety review of the request, the NRC consents to the transfer.

Future changes in the licensee's name, licensed use, licensed materials, licensed location, or persons responsible for licensed material require submission of a request to amend the license. NRC approval must be received prior to implementation of the proposed change. If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Randolph Ragland at 610-337-5083 or via electronic mail at Randolph.Ragland@nrc.gov.

An environmental assessment for this action was not required because this action is categorically excluded under 10 CFR 51.22(c)(21).

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Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

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Division of Nuclear Materials Safety
Region I

License No. 06-23678-01
Docket No. 03029916
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cc: M. O'Friel, Senior V.P., &
General Counsel
C. Lill, Radiation Safety Officer

Enclosure:
Safety Evaluation Report

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