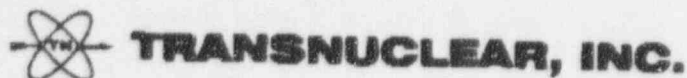


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January 22, 1997

Mrs. Gloria Bennington
 Division of Safeguards and Transportation
 U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
 Washington, DC 20555

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Re: Transnuclear reference 96122-6 - REVISED to change origin seaport
 Export license No. XSNM02739, Amd. 03
 Advance notification for an export shipment of special nuclear material of low
 strategic significance

Dear Mrs. Bennington:

This letter constitutes Transnuclear Inc.'s advance notification to the USNRC in compliance with the requirements as outlined in 10 CFR 73.73 for an export shipment of special nuclear material of low strategic significance.

Details of this shipment as required in 10 CFR 73.73 (a)(1)(2) are as follows:

73.73 (a)(3)(i) Data:

Export Licensee	Receiving Facility
Nissho Iwai American Corp. 1211 Avenue of the America's New York, NY 10036 212-704-6768	Japan Atomic Energy Research Institute 2-2 Uchisaiwaicho 2-Chome Chiyoda-Ku, Tokyo, Japan
Shipping Facility	Carriers
Babcock & Wilcox Naval Nuclear Fuel Div Mt. Athos Road Lynchburg, VA 24505 804-385-2000	Advanced Distribution Systems S. 2329 Hayden Road Spokane, WA 99204 800-756-0223
Transport Coordinator	AND
Transnuclear, Inc. Four Skyline Drive Hawthorne, NY 10532 914-347-2345	260012 NYK Lines (North America) Inc. 300 Lighting Way Secaucus, NJ 07094 201-330-3000

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73.73(a)(3)(ii) Data:

Physical description of shipment:

Two model JRF-90Y-950K casks containing RQ, RADIOACTIVE MATERIAL, FISSILE, N.O.S. (UxSiY), 7, UN2918. Normal form, solid, 16 JMTR fresh fuel elements.

Enrichment: 19.80% max. U235

Total weight U: 29,723.57 g

Total weight U235: 5,862.15 g

Export license no.: XSNMO2739, Amendment 03

73.73(a)(3)(iii)(iv)(v) Data:

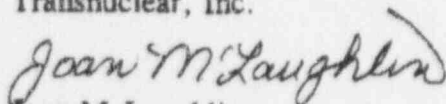
MODE	ORIGIN(O), TRANSFER(T), COUNTRY/ENROUTE(C/E) & DESTINATION (D) POINTS	ROUTE	DATE/TIME OF ARRIVAL (A) & DEPARTURE(D) AT EACH POINT
ADS truck	Babcock & Wilcox Naval Nuclear Fuel Division	Standard truck route	(D) January 30, 1997 0900-1500 hours
"	Seattle Seaport, WA (T)	"	(A) February 6, 1997 0600-1700 hours
NYK Lines	Seattle Seaport, WA (T)	Standard ocean route	(D) February 7, 1997 0000-2359
"Sea- breeze"	Tokyo Seaport, Japan (T)	"	(A) February 17, 1997 0500-1200 hours
Truck	Tokyo Seaport, Japan (D)	Standard truck Route	(D) February 17, 1997 1200-1800 hours

Arrival at the receiving facility is estimated to be between 1300 hours and 1800 hours on February 17, 1997.

This shipment will meet the levels of physical protection specified in Appendix E (Annex 1).

Yours truly,

Transnuclear, Inc.


Joan McLaughlin