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SUBJECT: REISSUANCE OF MATERIALS LICENSE NO. SNM-1270, AMENDMENT  
NO. 12

Dear Mr. Murray:

On July 16, 2020 (Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) Package Accession No. ML20197A041), the NRC issued the revised Materials License No. SNM-1270. In issuance of this revised license, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) did not change the amendment number on the license from 11 to 12; therefore, the NRC is reissuing the license to change from Amendment No. 11 to Amendment No. 12.

If you have any questions regarding this license, please contact me or Bernard White of my staff at (301) 415-6577.

Sincerely,

John McKirgan, Chief  
Storage and Transport Licensing Branch  
Division of Fuel Management  
Office of Nuclear Material Safety  
and Safeguards

Docket No. 70-1220

Enclosure:

1. License No. SNM-1270,  
Amendment No. 12
2. Safety Evaluation Report

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**Safety Evaluation Report  
Materials License No. SNM-1270  
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By application dated July 1, 2020, (Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) Accession No. ML20183A280) GE-Hitachi Nuclear Energy (GEH) requested an amendment to Materials License No. SNM-1270. GEH requested that the license be modified to change the authorize the place of use to include in private carriage between authorized recipients within the United States. On July 16, 2020 (ADAMS Package Accession No. ML20197A041), the NRC issued the revised Materials License No. SNM-1270. In issuance of this revised license, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) did not change the amendment number on the license from 11 to 12; therefore, the NRC is reissuing the license to change the license from Amendment No. 11 to Amendment No. 12. In addition, on item 3, NRC is deleting the parenthetical phrase "(Revised in its entirety)" since this license amendment was not revised in its entirety. The NRC is maintaining the vertical lines in the margin to show the other changes made to the license from Amendment No. 11, which was issued on July 26, 2018 (ADAMS Package Accession No. ML18207A286).

The license, as amended, applies to special nuclear material used only in research and development activities, as defined in 10 CFR 70.4. Therefore, the categorical exclusion of 10 CFR 71.51.22(c)(14)(v) applies and neither an environmental assessment nor an environmental impact statement is warranted.

These changes are editorial in nature and do not affect the safety of any shipment made using this license.

Issued with License No. SNM-1270, Amendment No. 12.