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Subject: Certification Testing of the 435-B Package for AREVA Federal Services LLC

Dear Fred,

I want to express my appreciation for the assistance provided by MCE and your contract partner Lampson International during the recent certification testing program for the 435-B package (also known as the LANL-B). As Test Engineer, I was very pleased with how things went. Everyone worked hard and was very cooperative. I would like to identify Jerry Stralsund, Zach, and Tony for special thanks at MCE. At Lampson, I need to thank Bruce Stemp, Gunnar Dixon, Dave, Brian, and Chris. Since we spent all of our time at Lampson, I should also mention that everyone we dealt with there was very helpful. I hope we can return with more drop testing someday.

Very Truly Yours,

AREVA Federal Services LLC

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Phil Noss'.

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