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FROM: NP/NE - Robin DeLaBarre
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SUBJECT: XSNM03130 Siemens Export of LEU for Initial Supply of Shika Unit 1

Transmitted is an advance copy of the signed and dated Executive Branch views on the subject case. The original will be handed to Suzanne at tomorrow's SNEC meeting.

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March 16, 2000

Ms. Janice Dunn Lee
Acting Director, International Programs
United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Rockville, Maryland

Dear Ms. Lee:

I refer to the letters from your office dated December 17, 1999 and January 5, 2000 requesting the views of the Executive Branch as to whether issuance of an export license in accordance with the application hereinafter described meets the applicable criteria of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended:

NRC No. XSNM03130—Siemens Power Corporation has applied for authorization to export to Japan 67 kilograms of U-235 contained in 1,621 kilograms of uranium enriched to a maximum of 4.95 percent in the form of uranium dioxide for the initial supply to Unit 1 of the Shika Nuclear Power Station.

It is the view of the Executive Branch that the proposed export will not be inimical to the common defense and security of the United States, and is consistent with the provisions of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended.

The proposed export to Japan would take place pursuant to the 1988 Agreement for Cooperation Between the United States and Japan, as reported in U.S. Embassy Tokyo telegram 1604, dated March 5, 2000, a copy of which is enclosed.

On the basis of the foregoing, the Executive Branch recommends that the license be issued.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Alex R. Burkart".

Alex R. Burkart, Acting
Director
Nuclear Energy Affairs

Enclosure: as stated.

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TOKYO 1604

From: AMEMBASSY TOKYO
 Subject: NUCLEAR: REQUEST FOR GOJ
 ASSURANCES FOR COOPERATION:
 DIPLOMATIC NOTES EXCHANGED FOR
 CASE NUMBERS 509-510

MRN: 1604
 ICNbr: TED3807

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FOR PM/NE - R. DELABARRE

E.O. 12958: N/A
 TAGS: KSCA, KNNP, TRGY, JA
 SUBJ: NUCLEAR: REQUEST FOR GOJ ASSURANCES FOR COOPERATION:
 DIPLOMATIC NOTES EXCHANGED FOR CASE NUMBERS 509-510

REFS: (A) 88 TOKYO 20503; (B) STATE 1015

1. EMBASSY HAS EXCHANGED WITH GOJ ADDITIONAL DIPLOMATIC NOTES,
 WITH ATTACHMENTS, FOR THE FOLLOWING CASES:

NO. 509 (XSNM03129) DETAILS IN REFTEL B.
 NO. 510 (XSNM03130) DETAILS IN REFTEL B.

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THE U.S. NOTES AND ATTACHMENTS (REF B) FOR THE PROPOSED TRANSFER WERE GIVEN TO MOFA IN FINAL FORM ON FEBRUARY 22, 2000. THE CORRESPONDING GOJ NOTE, NO. 43/ASSN, DATED MARCH 1, 2000 COVERING CASE NO. 513 HAS BEEN RECEIVED IN THE EMBASSY'S EST SECTION.

2. THE TEXT OF THE GOJ NOTES IS EXACTLY THE SAME AS THE STANDARD TEXT USED PREVIOUSLY, REFTEL A, EXCEPT FOR THE FOLLOWING SPECIFICATION OF NUMBERS AND DATES:

U.S. DIP NOTE NO. 77, DATED FEBRUARY 22, 2000.

3. A CERTIFIED COPY OF THE U.S. NOTE AND ATTACHMENTS AND THE ORIGINALS OF THE GOJ NOTES ARE BEING POUCHED TO THE DEPT. (PM/NE - R. DELABARRE) UNDER REGISTRY NUMBER 3964152.

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