September 18, 2012

Dr. Jayant Bondre Vice President, Engineering Transnuclear, Inc. 7135 Minstrel Way, Ste. 300 Columbia, MD 21045

SUBJECT: REVISION NO. 5 OF CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE NO. 9302

FOR THE MODEL NOS. NUHOMS - MP197 AND NUHOMS -

MP197HB PACKAGES

Dear Dr. Bondre:

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Transnuclear, Inc., has been registered as a user of the package under the general license provisions of 10 CFR 71.17. This approval constitutes authority to use the package for shipment of radioactive material and for the package to be shipped in accordance with the provisions of 49 CFR 173.471.

If you have any questions regarding this certificate, please contact me at (301) 492-3297 or Kim Hardin of my staff at (301) 492-3339.

Sincerely,

/RA/ B. H. White for

Michael D. Waters, Chief Licensing Branch Division of Spent Fuel Storage and Transportation Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards

Docket No. 71-9302 TAC No. L24673

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SUMMARY

By application dated July 24, 2012, Transnuclear, Inc. (TN or applicant) submitted an application for revision to Certificate of Compliance (CoC) No. 9302 for the Model Nos. NUHOMS®-MP197HB and NUHOMS®-MP197HB transportation packages. All original analyses for the currently approved package are still valid and no changes were made to the Safety Analysis Report (SAR).

EVALUATION

The staff reviewed the current CoC and SAR in their entirety and updated the references in the CoC and ensured the documentation has been properly docketed as an official agency record. Staff determined that the documentation was available and complete.

Based on the statements and representations in the application and the conditions listed in the CoC, the staff concludes that the design has been adequately described and evaluated and that the changes do not affect the ability of the package to meet the requirements of Title 10 of the Code of Federal Regulations (10 CFR) Part 71.

CONDITIONS

The revision number was changed to Revision No. 5.

Condition No. 12 was modified to allow the previous revision (4) of the certificate to be used for a period of approximately one year.

Condition No. 13 was modified to authorize the new expiration date of August 31, 2017.

The references were updated to reflect the application dated July 24, 2012.

REFERENCES

Transnuclear, Inc., application dated July 24, 2012.

CONCLUSION

Based on the statements and representations in the application, and the conditions listed above, the staff concludes that the Model No. NUHOMS®-MP197HB package design has been adequately described and evaluated and that these changes do not affect the ability of the package to meet the requirements of 10 CFR Part 71.

Issued with Certificate of Compliance No. 9302, Revision No. 3, on <u>September 18, 2012</u>.