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Peter M. Turcic, Director Division of Energy Employees Occupational Illness Compensation U.S. Department of Labor Room C-4511 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20210

Dear Mr. Turcic:

On behalf of the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), and as required by 42 C.F.R. § 83.17(c), I am notifying you of the final effect of the HHS decision to designate a class of employees at Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, Livermore, California, as an addition to the Special Exposure Cohort (SEC) under the Energy Employees Occupational Illness Compensation Program Act of 2000. On March 3, 2008 as provided for under 42 U.S.C. § 7384q(b), the Secretary of HHS designated the following class of employees as an addition to the SEC:

Employees of the Department of Energy (DOE), its predecessor agencies, and DOE contractors or subcontractors who were monitored for radiation exposure while working at the Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory from January 1, 1950, through December 31, 1973, for a number of work days aggregating at least 250 work days or in combination with work days within the parameters established for one or more classes of employees in the Special Exposure Cohort.

This designation became effective on April 2, 2008, as provided for under 42 U.S.C. § 7384/(14)(C). Hence, beginning on April 2, 2008 members of this class of employees, defined as reported in this notice, became members of the SEC.

Sincerely,

Larry J. Elliott

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Director

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