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April 8, 2020

Mr. Tom Clements
Director, Savannah River Site Watch
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Dear Mr. Clements:

SUBJECT: Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Request Savannah River Operations Office
SRO-2020-00682-F

This is to acknowledge your March 31, 2020 FOIA request for copies of: (1) List of all "minimum mission critical activities," jobs and projects at SRS, both of EM and NNSA, as determined under COVID-19 response protocol in March 2020; (2) List of "Limited Operations/Situational Essential personnel for our EM missions; (3) List of all activities, jobs and projects at SRS, both EM and NNSA, determined not to be critical under the COVID-19 response by EM and NNSA; and (4) All plans, directives and guidelines to implement SRS mission critical activities and "limited operations" COVID-19 response by EM and NNSA.

Your request was received on March 31, 2020 and has been assigned control number SRO-2020-00682-F. Since we receive numerous requests each year, please use this number in any correspondence with the Department about your request.

In the meantime, we are conducting a search for responsive documents. We estimate 30-60 working days are needed to identify and produce the requested records that may exist at the Savannah River Site facilities. Once the results of the search are known and any documents are located and provided to us for review and release, we will process your request in the order it was received. This is consistent with the DOE-wide policy to process the requested records on a first-in, first-out basis. It could take additional time beyond the estimate before we can complete your request.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (803) 952-7813 or jennifer.farmer@srs.gov.

Sincerely,

FOR: Jennifer Farmer
FOIA/Privacy Act Officer
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