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## DEFENSE NUCLEAR FACILITIES SAFETY BOARD

Washington, DC 20004-2901



January 19, 2024

To the Congress of the United States:

Pursuant to 42 United States Code § 2286c(b)(2)(B)(i), the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board (Board) is required to identify each request for access to information which the Board submitted to the Secretary of Energy in written form during the six-month period ending December 31, 2023, and which the Secretary denied. The Board has no denials of access to information to report in the past six months. The Board worked with the U.S. Department of Energy to achieve an acceptable resolution for delayed responses reported in the previous report to Congress dated July 31, 2023.

If you have any questions, please contact our Associate Director for Board Operations, Tara Tadlock, at 202-694-7090 or TaraT@dnfsb.gov.

Sincerely,

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Joyce L. Connery Chair

c: Mr. Joe Olencz