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Mr. Tom Clements  
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Dear Mr. Clements:

This letter is the final response to your February 2, 2018 Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request. You requested a copy of the following:

1. The NNSA "Plutonium Pit Production" Report from 2017 on which this presentation was based: "Plutonium Pit Production Analysis of Alternatives (AoA) Results & Next Steps."
2. Any cover letters, attachments to or analyses of the above-requested report.

Your request was originally sent to the Department of Energy Headquarters (DOE HQ) for processing. DOE HQ transferred your request to our office for processing and it was received in this office on March 14, 2018.

We contacted the National Nuclear Security Administration's Office of Defense Programs (NA-10) about your request. NA-10 searched and located one document responsive to part one of your request, *Final Report for the Plutonium Pit Production Analysis of Alternatives, October 2017*. The document is being provided with deletions pursuant to 5 USC §552 (b)(3) (Exemption 3 of the FOIA). There were no records found for part 2 of your request.

Exemption 3 exempts information specifically exempted from disclosure by statute (other than section 552(b) of this title), provided that such statute (A) requires that the matters be withheld from the public in such a manner as to leave no discretion on the issue, or (B) establishes particular criteria for withholding or refers to particular types of matters to be withheld. The Atomic Energy Act (AEA) of 1954, as amended, 42 USC § 2011 et seq., is an exemption 3 statute. Section 148 of this Act (42 USC 2168) prohibits the disclosure of information concerning atomic energy defense programs that is determined to be Unclassified Controlled Nuclear Information (UCNI) pursuant to the AEA, as amended. The portions deleted from the subject document pursuant to Exemption 3 contain information about production or utilization facilities that has been safeguarded as UCNI. Disclosure of the exempt data would have a significant adverse effect on the common defense and security by significantly increasing the likelihood of theft, diversion, or sabotage of nuclear materials.

There are no charges to you for processing your FOIA request. If you have questions, please contact Erica White by e-mail at [erica.white@nnsa.doe.gov](mailto:erica.white@nnsa.doe.gov), or write to the address at the top of this page. Please reference Control Number FOIA 18-00129-EW.

Sincerely,



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Enclosures

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Bcc w/o enclosures:

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