NOTIFICATION OF NUCLEAR ENERGY WORKER STATUS:

To: ________________________________  

name of user

Permit Holder ________________________________  Permit Number ________________________________

In accordance with the Nuclear Safety and Control Act (NSCA) and its regulations, this is to inform you that you are a Nuclear Energy Worker (NEW). As defined in the NSCA, a NEW is a person who is required, in the course of the person’s business or occupation in connection with a nuclear substance or nuclear facility, to perform duties in such circumstances that there is a reasonable probability that the person may receive a dose of radiation that is greater than the prescribed limit for the general public which is 1 mSv per year.

For a NEW the Dose limit (whole body) for a new for a one year dosimetry period must not exceed 50 mSv and the Dose limit (whole body) for a five year dosimetry period must not exceed 100 mSv. A pregnant NEW must notify the RSO once pregnancy is determined and the dose limit (whole body) for the remainder of the pregnancy must not exceed 4 mSv.

Acknowledgement of NEW designation: ________________________________  

Signature

As required by the Radiation Protection Regulations, I have been informed in writing of:

■ the risks associated with radiation to which I may be exposed during the course of my work, including the risk associated with the exposure of an embryo and fetus
■ the applicable dose limits as specified in the regulations
■ my expected radiation dose levels
■ for females, my rights and obligations should I become pregnant

I understand the risks, my obligations and the radiation dose limits and levels that are associated with being designated a NEW.

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Signature of NEW  Date

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Signature of Radiation Safety Officer  Date