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**UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN
AND NORTHERN IRELAND
and
NORWAY**

Exchange of notes constituting an agreement concerning the export to the Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development Halden Reactor Project, Oslo, of three mixed oxide fuel pins. Oslo, 13 and 20 April 1993

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**ROYAUME-UNI DE GRANDE-BRETAGNE
ET D'IRLANDE DU NORD
et
NORVÈGE**

Échange de notes constituant un accord relatif à l'exportation de trois tiges à combustible à oxyde composé à l'Organisation de coopération et de développement économique pour le projet de réacteur Halden à Oslo. Oslo, 13 et 20 avril 1993

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EXCHANGE OF NOTES CONSTITUTING AN AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE KINGDOM OF NORWAY CONCERNING THE EXPORT TO THE ORGANISATION FOR ECONOMIC CO-OPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT HALDEN REACTOR PROJECT, OSLO, OF THREE MIXED OXIDE FUEL PINS

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*The British Chargé d'Affaires at Oslo
to the Minister of Foreign Affairs of Norway*

BRITISH EMBASSY
OSLO

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Note No. 34

Your Excellency,

I have the honour to refer to the proposed export by British Nuclear Fuels PLC (BNF PLC) to the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Halden Reactor Project Oslo of 3 mixed oxide fuel pins containing 383.1g MOX comprising 307.4g depleted uranium and 30.5g plutonium.

In this connection I have the further honour to refer to International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) document INFCIRC/254 and to state that the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (hereinafter referred to as "The United Kingdom Government") base their nuclear export policies on this document.

So that the United Kingdom Government implement to the guidelines set out in the appendix to that document (hereinafter referred to as "the guidelines") I have the honour to propose that the Government of the Kingdom of Norway (hereinafter referred to as "The Government of Norway") shall, in respect of the material described above, comply with the following conditions:

- (a) In accordance with paragraphs 1 and 2 of the guidelines the material and any material derived from it shall be used only for peaceful purposes and shall not be used in any way which would result in any nuclear explosive device.
- (b) In accordance with paragraph 3 of the guidelines the material shall be placed under effective physical protection in accordance with the protection characteristics set out in Annex B to the guidelines, the implementation of those measures of physical protection being the responsibility of the Government of Norway.

¹ Came into force on 20 April 1993, the date of the note in reply, in accordance with the provisions of the said notes.