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Dear Bob,

**Dounreay PBO competition
Early Invitation to Share Transfer Event - Caithness 2 April 2012**

The NDA's competition to engage a new parent body organisation for Dounreay Site Licence Company (DSRL) is about to enter its final phase. Following the announcement of the preferred bidder on 23 November 2011 and subsequent mandatory 10 day stand still period, a period of transition or "hand-over" begins on 9 December concluding with transfer of the DSRL shares to the new parent body in April 2012.

Dounreay is a key site for the NDA and, as you will be aware, awarding this contract is a significant event for the NDA and the UK nuclear industry as the first contract to take one of our sites to Interim End State. Clearly it is also a very significant milestone for the Dounreay workforce and our stakeholders in Scotland. We aim to mark the occasion by hosting an event in Caithness on the afternoon of 2 April 2012. I would very much like to invite you to attend that event and to consider placing a marker in your diary at this early stage. A programme for the event will be available nearer the time and, if you are able to attend, we would appreciate the opportunity to discuss your participation in due course.

Yours sincerely


Stephen Herwood
Chairman

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