



Department of Energy
Washington, DC 20585

August 8, 2019

Mr. Bobby Smith
Program Manager
Fluor-BWXT Portsmouth, LLC
3930 US-23
Piketon, Ohio 45661

Dear Mr. Smith:

This letter serves as notification the Office of Enforcement will conduct an investigation of Fluor-BWXT Portsmouth, LLC's (FBP) radiation protection program. This investigation is pursuant to the authority set forth in 10 C.F.R. § 820.21, *Investigations*, and will include an onsite visit and interviews with contractor personnel.

A request for documents to support this investigation will be provided separately via e-mail. Your cooperation to ensure timely submission of all requested documents to our office by the requested date is appreciated.

Under the Major Fraud Act (MFA), as amended, 41 U.S.C. § 4310, this investigation may be a proceeding commenced by the United States that relates to a violation of, or the failure to comply with, a Federal regulation. Costs incurred in connection with such a proceeding are subject to the reimbursement restrictions of the MFA implemented at 48 C.F.R. § 31.205-47. As a result, FBP should track any costs incurred that are directly attributable to supporting the investigation, subsequent to receipt of this letter, and segregate them from other potentially allowable costs.

If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact me at (301) 903-7707.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kevin L. Dressman".

Kevin L. Dressman
Director
Office of Enforcement
Office of Enterprise Assessments

cc: Robert Edwards, III, PPPO
Doug Fogel, FBP