



Aleut Federal, LLC.

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February 14, 2023

Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Nuclear Materials Safety Branch B
Region IV
Arlington, TX 76011-4511

Ref: Sale of Entity Known as ARS International, LLC – Selling Company Retains Radioactive Materials License and Program, Requesting Change of Name and Address for Materials License 17-29441-01

Dear Sir or Madam,

This letter serves as a notification of the change in ownership of the entity known as ARS International, LLC. (ARS). The Aleut Corporation (TAC), previous owner of ARS, has retained the radioactive materials license, projects, and all license elements in its entirety as part of the sales agreement. Retention includes radiation safety staff, records, capabilities, projects, plans, and procedures. TAC, under its subsidiary, Aleut Federal, will be relocating the radiation safety program from its current location in Port Allen, LA to Paducah, KY as part of the transition. As such, TAC is requesting a name and address change for license 17-29441-01 from ARS International, LLC to Aleut Federal, LLC. The change of name does not constitute a change of control. Transition of ARS to new ownership is currently underway.

The information below corresponds to items 1 through 9 on NUREG-1556, Volume 15, Revision 1, Appendix E, *Information Required for Transfer of Control Application*:

1. ARS is a privately owned company formerly owned by TAC, one of the 13 Regional Alaskan Native Corporations. TAC has organized its federal oriented business elements under the entity entitled Aleut Federal, LLC (Aleut Federal). As part of corporate restructuring, Aleut Federal began transition of the ARS International name and its analytical services business line to new owners, the Heal Group, effective January 1, 2024. The Heal Group will retain all radioactive materials licenses issued to ARS International, LLC. by the State of Louisiana. TAC, under Aleut Federal, will retain radiological work performed by ARS including current and former projects, radiation safety program, staff, and all capabilities associated with NRC license 17-29441-01. Aleut Federal will be transitioning program equipment, instrumentation, personnel, and both current and legacy records to its Paducah, KY location.

2. Aleut Federal has retained Mr. Kelly Ausbrooks as its Director of Radiological Services and Radiation Safety Officer (RSO). No RSO changes are requested.

3. The Aleut Federal corporate office is located at 12355 Sunrise Valley Drive, Reston, VA 20191. The Radiation Safety staff and program will be managed out of Aleut Federal's Radiation Safety Office located at 148 Stuart Nelson Part Road, Paducah, KY 42001. All license correspondence should be addressed to the Paducah KY location, attention Kelly Ausbrooks.



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4. There have been no changes to equipment, personnel, and radiation safety program status in relation to the transition.

Appendix E items 5 through 9 do not apply to the subject purchase and name change.

No license related radioactive materials are present at the former location, 2609 North River Road, Port Allen, LA, 70767. Decontamination and release of the Port Allen location is not required as part of this transition since (1) ARS did not take possession of client radioactive materials while performing licensed activities, (2) no radioactive materials associated with the NRC license are present at the Port Allen location and (3) the Port Allen location, under new ownership, is retaining its current radioactive materials service and possession licenses issued by the State of Louisiana.

Aleut Federal does not request any license modifications regarding the possession of radioactive materials or authorized activities. No radioactive materials, other than exempt sealed sources used for instrument performance checks, will be present at the Paducah, KY location.

All calibrations, leak tests, area surveys, wipe tests, training, quality control, dosimetry, and affiliated activities have been and will continue to be performed as required. Records will be relocated to the Paducah Radiation Safety Office during transition and retained either as hard copy or electronically.

Aleut Federal has retained control and responsibility for ongoing decommissioning projects. Currently, Aleut Federal has one active project; completion of decommissioning and demolition of Building 181 at Robins Air Force Base, Warner Robins, GA. Field work has been completed for that project and the final status survey report is in review by the United States Air Force prior to submission to NRC.

Enclosed please find a copy of the Certificate of Compliance issued by the State of Alaska, identifying Aleut Federal, LLC as an incorporated entity in good standing.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at 270-933-1983 or 270-564-1800 should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Kelly Ausbrooks
Director of Radiological Services
Corporate Radiation Safety Officer
Aleut Federal, LLC.
Kelly.Ausbrooks@aleutfederal.com
270-933-1983 – Office
270-564-1800 – Mobile

State of Alaska
Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development
Corporations, Business, and Professional Licensing

Certificate of Compliance

The undersigned, as Commissioner of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development of the State of Alaska, and custodian of corporation records for said state, hereby issues a Certificate of Compliance for:

ALEUT FEDERAL, LLC

This entity was formed on June 8, 2009 and is in good standing. This entity has filed all biennial reports and fees due at this time.

No information is available in this office on the financial condition, business activity or practices of this corporation.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I execute the certificate and affix the Great Seal of the State of Alaska effective **June 23, 2023**.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Julie Sande".

Julie Sande
Commissioner

From: [Kelly L. Ausbrooks](#)
To: [R4 Licensing Action Submittals](#)
Subject: [External_Sender] 17-29441-01 ARS International - Request for Name Change
Date: Wednesday, February 14, 2024 11:05:02 AM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)
[image002.png](#)
[image003.png](#)
[02142024 NRC License 17-29441-01 Name Change Request.pdf](#)

Please see attached. If there are any questions, please feel free to contact me at any time.



Paducah, KY

Kelly Ausbrooks

General Manager, Aleut Environmental Remediation
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Corporate Radiation Safety Officer
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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT - RECEIPT OF CORRESPONDENCE

Name and Address of Applicant and/or Licensee

ARS International, LLC
Kelly Ausbrooks, CHP, RSO
2609 North River Road
Port Allen, LA 70767

Date

03/04/2024

License Number(s)

17-29441-01

Mail Control Number(s)

639828

Licensing and/or Technical Reviewer or Branch

Giavanna Muffelletto

This is to acknowledge receipt of your: Letter and/or Application Dated: _____

The initial processing, which included an administrative review, has been performed.

Amendment Termination New License Renewal

There were no administrative omissions identified during our initial review.

This is to acknowledge receipt of your application for renewal of the material(s) license identified above. Your application is deemed timely filed, and accordingly, the license will not expire until final action has been taken by this office.

Your application for a new NRC license did not include your taxpayer identification number. Please complete and submit NRC Form 531, Request for Taxpayer Identification Number, located at the following link: <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/forms/nrc531.pdf>
Follow the instructions on the form for submission.

The following administrative omissions have been identified:

Your application has been assigned the above listed MAIL CONTROL NUMBER. When calling to inquire about this action, please refer to this control number. Your application has been forwarded to a technical reviewer. Please note that the technical review, which is normally completed within 180 days for a renewal application (90 days for all other requests), may identify additional omissions or require additional information. If you have any questions concerning the processing of your application, our contact information is listed below:

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DNMS/NMSB - B
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Arlington, TX 76011-4511
(817) 200-1103 or (817) 200-1140**

BETWEEN:

Accounts Receivable/Payable
and
Regional Licensing Branches

[FOR ARPB USE]
INFORMATION FROM WBL

Program Code: 03234
Status Code: Pending Amendment
Fee Category: 1D 2F 3N 4B
Exp. Date: 07/31/2037
Fee Comments: 3N exempt under 4B in 10 CFR 171.
Decom Fin Assur Reqd: N

License Fee Worksheet - License Fee Transmittal

A. REGION

1. APPLICATION ATTACHED

Applicant/Licensee: ARS International, LLC
Received Date: 02/14/2024
Docket Number: 3038546
Mail Control Number: 639828
License Number: 17-29441-01
Action Type: Change of Control

2. FEE ATTACHED

Amount: N/A

Check No.: N/A

3. COMMENTS

Signed: Giavanna Muffelletto

Date: 03/04/2024

B. LICENSE FEE MANAGEMENT BRANCH (Check when milestone 03 is entered / /)

1. Fee Category and Amount: _____

2. Correct Fee Paid. Application may be processed for:

Amendment: _____

Renewal: _____

License: _____

3. OTHER _____

Signed: _____

Date: _____

Agency: NRC

WBL WORKSHEET

DOCKET NUMBER: 3038546 LICENSE NUMBER: 17-29441-01 STATUS: Pending Amendment

MAIL CONTROL NUMBER: 639828 RECEIPT DATE: 02/14/2024 ACTION TYPE: Change of Control

DUE DATE: 08/12/2024 INST. CODE: 29441 LICENSE REGION: Region 4

LICENSE TYPE: 30 ENTITY TYPE: C LICENSE GROUP: Industrial

ISSUE DATE: ORIGINAL DATE: 07/12/2012 EXPIRATION DATE: 07/31/2037

DECOMMISSIONING CATEGORY: LAST ISSUE DATE:

LICENSEE NAME: ARS International, LLC DECOM FIN ASSUR REQD: N SUBM: N

MAILING ADDRESS LINE1: 2609 North River Road CONT PLAN REQD: N APPRV: N

MAILING ADDRESS LINE 2:

CITY: Port Allen STATE: LA ZIP: 70767

CONTACT PERSON: PREFIX: FIRST NAME: Kelly MIDDLE INITIAL:

LAST NAME: Ausbrooks SUFFIX: CHP

JOB TITLE: Director of Radiological and An PHONE: 270-933-1983 FAX: 225-381-2996 EMAIL: kelly.ausbrooks@aleutf

BILLING ADDRESS LINE 1:

BILLING ADDRESS LINE 2:

CITY: STATE: Louisiana ZIP:

BILLING CONTACT PERSON: FIRST NAME: MIDDLE INITIAL: LAST NAME:

PHONE: EMAIL: FAX:

PRIMARY PGM CODE: 03234 SECONDARY PGM CODE: 03219,11300,22110,22111,22150,22151

INSPECTION REGION: Region 4 PRIORITY: 2

RSO: PREFIX: FIRST NAME: Kelly MIDDLE INITIAL: LAST NAME Ausbrooks

SUFFIX: CHP RSO JOB TITLE: Radiation Safety Officer

RSO PHONE: 270-933-1983 RSO FAX: 225-381-2996 RSO EMAIL: kelly.ausbrooks@aleutfederal.com

STATES WHERE USE IS AUTHORIZED: 0- ALL LISTED STATES 1- SAME AS STATE IN ADDRESS 2- ALL STATES 3- NON-AGREEMENT-STATES

AUTHORIZED STATES (USE ONLY IF ABOVE IS ZERO):