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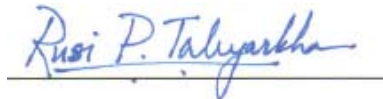
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Dear Mr. Blalock:

Ref: Confidential – Confirmation of Receipt of Navy Administrative Record

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your cover letter dated March 9, 2009 transmitting to me the entire Navy Administrative Record (per J. Moore from the Office of Naval Research Inspector General Holly Adams) pertaining to the proposed debarment as requested by me to Mr. Moore on March 6, 2009. The Department of The Navy Administrative Record which you kindly transmitted only included the following 10 documents as made for use by Mr. J. Moore to propose debarment:

1. Memorandum dated 2/3/09 "Proposed Debarment of Rusi Taleyarkhan," by Mr. J. Moore.
2. Report of the Investigation Committee in the Matter of Dr. Rusi P. Taleyarkhan dated April 18, 2008, Purdue University, Final Report of C-22 Investigation Committee.
3. ONR Award Paperwork for Award No. N00014-05-1-0459 Issued to The Regents of the University of California Los Angeles, CA awarding \$812,000 in response to the Proposal titled "Using Acoustic Cavitation to Produce Thermonuclear Fusion," dated 12/23/04 with S. Putterman identified as the Principal Investigator. Term duration: 3/1/2005 to 2/28/2006.
4. Journal article entitled "Evidence for Nuclear Emissions During Acoustic Cavitation," by R. P. Taleyarkhan, et al., *Science*, 2002.
5. Journal article entitled "Additional Evidence of Nuclear Emissions During Acoustic Cavitation," by R.P.Taleyarkhan, et al., *Physical Review E*, 2004.
6. Journal article entitled "Confirmatory Experiments for Nuclear Emissions During Acoustic Cavitation," by Y. Xu and A. Butt, *Nuclear Engineering and Design*, 2005.
7. Press Release 7/12/05 "Purdue Findings Support Earlier Nuclear Fusion Experiments."
8. Letter dated 9/12/2006 from M. Bertadono to L. Jamieson.
9. Email dated 2/7/2006 from L. Tsoukalas to C. Choi Subject: Fact-Finding Committee
10. Fact-Finding Committee Report -2/23/06 to L. Tsoukalas from C. Choi, F. Clikeman, K. L. Ott



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