

# CONVERDYN<sup>News</sup> Wire – July 2012

## An up-to-date information bulletin on the nuclear fuel cycle

**Our Mission: We will be the premier provider of nuclear fuel cycle services with customer satisfaction as our primary focus – Unique, Innovative and Successful.**

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### Metropolis Update

Honeywell International Inc. has informed ConverDyn that the Metropolis Works has successfully completed its annual maintenance shutdown activities. Furthermore during the License & Performance Review conducted by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission in May 2012, the NRC approved all aspects of Metropolis safety and operations performance.

Plant personnel are now in discussions with the NRC about the findings of another review specifically focused on the preparedness of U.S. nuclear facilities to respond to extreme natural disasters following the events in Fukushima.

As a result and prior to re-start, Metropolis is evaluating a number of upgrades and is in the process of defining the scope and timing of any potential projects.

The NRC will visit the Metropolis Works later in July for routine quarterly inspections. We expect to know more on the path forward after in-person discussions have occurred. ConverDyn will continue to update status of plant operations on a timely basis.

Acceptance of uranium ore concentrates and UF<sub>6</sub> deliveries continue as planned.

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