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Mr. Bill Snell  
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Region III  
801 Warrenville Road  
Lisle, IL 60532-4351

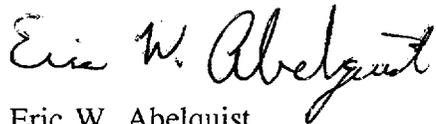
**SUBJECT: RESULTS OF THE LABORATORY ANALYSIS FOR THE FISH SAMPLE  
FROM WINGFOOT LAKE, NEAR GOODYEAR AEROSPACE, AKRON,  
OHIO**

Dear Mr. Snell:

It is imperative that all analytical data be evaluated relative to quality control (QC) samples. These QC samples are analyzed concurrently with the samples to validate and qualify the analytical results. The subject fish sample was analyzed by alpha spectrometry for total uranium concentration on June 13, 1994. As subsequently reported to you, the reagent blank showed activity above acceptable limits. This indicates that this analytical batch was contaminated and that results for this batch are unacceptable.

If you have any questions regarding this issue, please contact me at (615) 576-3740.

Sincerely,



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Attachment

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