



**UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**
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MEMORANDUM TO: Donald A. Cool, Director
 Division of Industrial Medical
 and Nuclear Safety, NMSS

FROM: *E. William Brach*
 E. William Brach, Director
 Spent Fuel Project Office, NMSS

SUBJECT: TRANSMITTAL OF FINAL SAFETY EVALUATION REPORT AND
 CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE FOR THE HOLTEC
 INTERNATIONAL HI-STAR 100 STORAGE CASK (TAC NO.
 L22906)

The preliminary Safety Evaluation Report (SER) and Certificate of Compliance for the Holtec International HI-STAR 100 storage cask were transmitted to the Division of Industrial Medical and Nuclear Safety (IMNS) on September 30, 1998. Subsequent to that, this material was made available for public comment. The Spent Fuel Project Office (SFPO) staff completed its review and disposition of the public comments and provided them to your staff in electronic form in June 1999. SFPO has now completed the preparation of the final SER and Certificate of Compliance for the HI-STAR 100. These documents are included as Attachments 1 and 2.

Please keep me informed of the status of the completion of the rulemaking process regarding the HI-STAR 100. SFPO staff will be available to assist IMNS, as necessary, to ensure a timely conclusion to this process.

The Senior Project Manager for the HI-STAR 100 cask is Mark S. Delligatti. He can be reached at (301) 415-8518. During Mr. Delligatti's absence from the office through July 30, 1999, please contact Ross Chappell, Chief of the Spent Fuel Licensing Section, if you have any questions. Mr. Chappell may be contacted at (301) 415-8510.

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Attachments: As stated (2)