

February 2, 1999

MEMORANDUM TO: William D. Travers
Executive Director for Operations

FROM: Annette L. Vietti-Cook, Secretary /s/

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS - SECY-98-284 - TRANSFERS OF
MATERIAL CONTAINING LESS THAN 0.05 PERCENT BY
WEIGHT SOURCE MATERIAL UNDER 10 CFR 40.51(b)(3) AND
(b)(4), AND 40.13(a)

This is to advise you that the Commission has not objected to the staff's proposal to approve Shieldalloy Metallurgical Corporation's (SMC) request to transfer baghouse dust from the Newfield, New Jersey site to an exempt person, and SMC's request to transfer slag from the Cambridge, Ohio site to an exempt person if the projected dose is determined to be less than 1 mSv/yr (100 mrem/yr). If the projected dose is greater than 0.25 mSv/yr (25 mrem/yr), the Commission should be notified.

The following changes should be incorporated in the letter to SMC.

1. In paragraph 1, line 1, correct the spelling of "Commission" and after 'request' insert ', by letter dated June 24, 1996,'.
2. In paragraph 2, line 3, insert a comma after 'assessments'. In line 5, after 'mrem/yr' insert ', as'.

cc: Chairman Jackson
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Commissioner McGaffigan
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