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Attention: Document Control Desk

Subject: Submittal of Consolidated Application, Model 2000 Radioactive Material
Transport Packaging, Docket Number 71-9228

Reference: 1) Certificate of Compliance 9228; Docket Number 71-9228;
2) Letter, B. Murray, GENE, to R. Hall, USNRC, Request for Timely
Renewal of Reference [1], dated June 12, 2000;
3) NEDO-31581 Model 2000 Radioactive Material Transport Package
Safety Analysis Report;
4) NEDO-32229 Model 2000 Radioactive Material Transport Package
HFIR Fuel Basket and Liner Safety Analysis Report;
5) NEDO-32318 Model 2000 Radioactive Material Transport Package
2000 Watts Decay Heat Upgrade Safety Analysis Report.
6) NEDO-32408 Model 2000 Radioactive Material Transport Package
MTR-Type Fuel Divider and Tower Shielding Reactor Fuel Basket
Safety Analysis Report.

Dear Mr. Hansen:

On June 2000, GE Nuclear Energy (GENE) requested Timely Renewal of the Model 2000 Package Certificate [1] that expired July 31, 2000, with the expectation to submit a consolidated application within the following months [2]. The purpose of this submittal is to forward copies of a consolidated Model 2000 Package Safety Analysis Report. As discussed in our recent telephone conversation, the Report consists of four volumes [3 through 6], three of which are enclosed with this letter. The fourth volume [6] will follow within a week.

The issuance of these documents incorporates all supplements previously submitted and approved by the USNRC from March 1989 through November 1999. Revision to the content of these documents were limited to correcting spelling error, re-pagination of the documents and expansion of subsection 1.1 "INTRODUCTION" [1], to introduce each of the documents and their content. Also, the information presented to demonstrated compliance with 10CFR71.13(d), Appendix 1.3 [1], was updated to represent the latest NRC Certificate approval.

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Again, GENE apologizes for the delay of this document. Your understanding and patience in this matter are greatly appreciated. If you have any additional questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 925-862-4455.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Chris Hamilton', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Chris Hamilton
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Enclosures