



**COMMONWEALTH OF PUERTO RICO  
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY BOARD  
EMERGENCY RESPONSE & SUPERFUND PROGRAM**

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Douglas M. Collins, Director  
Division of Nuclear Materials Safety  
US Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region II  
Sam Nunn Atlanta Federal Center  
61 Forsyth Street SW Suite 23T85  
Atlanta, Georgia 30303-8931

Dear Mr. Collins:

The Puerto Rico Environmental Quality Board is working very hard on the development of the new Low-Level Radioactive Waste Division. On October 12, 2000, we had the opportunity to meet with Mr. Robert Trojanowski who arranged a meeting for us with officials from the Federal Emergency Management Agency, Georgia Emergency Management Agency and the Georgia Department of Natural Resources. The meeting was very informative and indeed successful. We obtained valuable information and tools which will enable us to establish an effective working relationship with the Puerto Rico Commonwealth and Federal Agencies. During our visit we also had the opportunity to look at some radiation monitoring instruments, not in use any more by your staff, and asked for the possibility to obtain some of them.

On February 23, 2001, we received from your office a letter granting a few of the instruments requested. We are very grateful for your consideration. Enclosed you will find the list of instruments we are interested in receiving. Please note that the zip code is incorrect and our office number is 225. The right zip code is 00917.

If you have any questions, please call Mrs. Eira Medina or Mr. Ernesto Rosario, from the Low-Level Radioactive Waste Division, at (787) 767-8181 ext. 2222, 2226. Thanks for the attention given to this matter.

Sincerely,

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Genaro Torres-León,  
Acting Director  
Emergency Response & Superfund Program

Enclosure

DETECTOR	PROBE	TYPE	ENERGY DETECTED	RANGE	COMMENTS	QUANTITY
E500B	Closable side window (HP-77)	GM	$\beta/\gamma$	.01-200 mR/hr	Good for general surveys and frisking. Open window for beta surveying, closed window for gamma surveying.	1
PRM-5-3	Closable side window (HP-77)	GM	$\beta/\gamma$	100-500K cpm	Good for general surveys and frisking. Open window for beta surveying, closed window for gamma surveying.	1
PRM-5-3	Pancake (HP-260)	GM	$\beta/\gamma$	100-500K cpm	Best for contamination surveys, personnel frisking, and counting smears	1
PRM-5-3	Open Window (AC-3)	SCINTILLATION	$\alpha$	100-500K cpm	Good for alpha surveys and frisking.	1
PAC ISAG	Open Window (AC-3)	SCINTILLATION	$\alpha$	0-25 R/hr	Good for alpha surveys and frisking.	1

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