## BAUSCH & LOMB OPTICAL CO.

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November 3, 1955

U. S. Atomic Energy Commission P.O. Box #30, Ansonia Station Licensing Division New York 23, New York

## Gentlemen:

Our Experimental Division has requested us to obtain three pounds of Thorium Nitrate for use on an Air Force contract. This is an experimental program involving prototype production of glass developed by the National Bureau of Standard under Request NOrd 03025.

There is a strong possibility that we will require fifty pounds in order to complete the entire program, however only three pounds is required for the initial melt.

We would appreciate receiving permission from you to purchase the entire quantity that we will require; but if this is not permissable, we would appreciate a license to obtain the three pounds we require immediately.

Very truly yours.

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Purchasing Department

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