

April 28, 1998

Ms. Kelli Sobel
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Dear Ms. Sobel:

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) has completed its review of your amended license application, submitted by a letter dated September 5, 1997, for the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (MDNR) Tobico Marsh site. Before issuing a license, the NRC has a number of comments and questions on your application (Enclosure 1) and on your ALARA and Training Programs (Enclosure 2) that need to be addressed. Please respond to these requests within 60 days of this letter. If you are not able to meet this schedule, please advise us promptly and prepare an alternative schedule.

If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Sherry Wu of my staff at (301) 415-6619. Any correspondence regarding this application should reference the docket number specified below.

Sincerely,

[Original signed by]

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Low-Level Waste and Decommissioning
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Division of Waste Management
Office of Nuclear Material Safety
and Safeguards

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