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Re: Shipment of CaF₂ Pond Materials
License No. SUB-526 / Docket No. 40-03392

Revision to Letter dated July 20, 2001

Dear Sirs:

After further consideration, we would like to modify the first stage of blending of natural fluorspar with the pond materials in the end dump trailer.

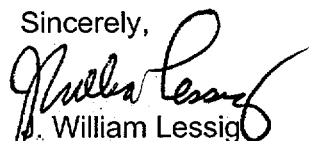
In the letter dated July 20, 2001, Hastie Mining would pre-load a trailer with natural fluorspar and then Honeywell would top it off with pond material. This would produce a layer of pond material on top of natural fluorspar in order to off-load the trailer without using a trailer liner.

After further discussions with Hastie Mining, we have decided to place only a few inches of natural fluorspar in the bottom of each trailer before loading with pond material. This will still allow all the material to flow out of the dump trailer without using a liner. The natural fluorspar will be pre-staged on-site next to the calcium fluoride pond material. All the pond materials will then be blended with natural fluorspar, one bucket of pond material to one bucket of natural fluorspar. Loading the two materials in this manner will eliminate the layering described in the previous letter. The trailer mixture will then be transported to the pug mill at Hastie Mining for a final blending to obtain a homogenous product.

All the remaining items listed in the previous letter dated July 20, 2001 will not change.

If you have additional comments or questions, please call Mr. Hugh Roberts at 618-524-6349 or Mr. Marshall Shepherd at 618-524-6238.

Sincerely,



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