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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region I Office of Nuclear Materials Safety and Safeguards, Branch 2 Mr. John D. Kinneman, Chief 475 Allendale Road King of Prussia, PA 19406

Docket No.

04006940

License No. SMB-

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SUBJECT:

REQUEST FOR 30 DAY EXTENSION TO REPLY TO N.O.V.

**DATED OCTOBER 23, 2001** 

Dear Mr. Kinneman:

Pursuant to a conversation with Mr. Eric Reber of your office on November 5, 2001, Cabot Performance Materials has been authorized to extend the submittal of the response to the NOV dated October 23, 2001 an additional 30 days. CPM is currently working on the submittal of our license renewal application with NRC Headquarters; the extension will allow more time for CPM to focus on the NOVs and ensure that each issue is appropriately addressed.

Sincerely,

CABOT PERFORMANCE MATERIALS

Timothy M Knapp

Radiation Safety Officer