

August 20, 2002

Mr. Adam Scheinman, Director
Office of Export Control Policy and Cooperation
National Nuclear Security Administration
U.S. Department of Energy
1000 Independence Avenue, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20585

Dear Mr. Scheinman:

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Please note the applicant's scheduled shipping date is October 5, 2002.

Assurances from EURATOM are required that the material will be subject to all the terms and conditions of an agreement for cooperation. Your assistance in obtaining the necessary assurances will be appreciated.

Please note that the proposed export contains some Australian, Canadian, and EURATOM-obligated material.

Sincerely,

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Edward T. Baker, Deputy Director
Office of International Programs

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Docket Number 11005360

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