

June 20, 2003

Christine Ziebold, MD, PhD
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UNDER 10 CFR 2.790]

SUBJECT: INFORMATION REQUEST REGARDING ACTIVITIES AT
ALLIANT INTEGRATED DEFENSE COMPANY, LLC LOCATED IN
NEW BRIGHTON, MINNESOTA.

Dear Dr. Ziebold:

I am writing to confirm my understanding of our telephone conversation on July 17, 2003, regarding your letter dated March 11, 2003, and postmarked June 6, 2003. You indicated you did not want me to generate a Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request from your letter, and you referenced the potential cost and uncertainty of that process. I indicated that a confirmatory survey of the licensee's survey from portions of Building 502 had recently been performed. We will provide you a copy of the report documenting that survey after it is complete.

In addition, we spoke of the licensee's Final Status Survey Report. While Final Status Survey activities have been ongoing during the spring of 2003, and NRC inspectors have observed some of the activities during confirmatory inspections, we have not yet received a copy of the Final Status Survey Report. When we receive it, we will make it public in the ADAMS document system. You indicated you will try to obtain the document through the licensee. If that effort fails, please feel free to contact Mr. Mike LaFranzo or me, and we will assist you in acquiring the document. As we discussed, this document should be a good source of information regarding surveys and sampling performed by the licensee in the area of Building 502.

I enjoyed speaking with you, and hope the information I provided will assist you in your efforts. Please contact Mr. LaFranzo at (630) 829-9865, or myself at (630) 829-9633 if you have further questions.

Sincerely,

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Christopher G. Miller, Chief
Decommissioning Branch

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