



UNITED STATES  
**NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**  
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Docket Nos. 03005980  
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Control Nos. 134920  
134921  
EA-04-148

License Nos. 37-00030-02  
37-00030-08

William E. Lynch, Jr.  
Vice President  
Safety Light Corporation  
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Bloomsburg, PA 17815

**SUBJECT:** REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONCERNING THE SAFETY LIGHT CORPORATION LETTER DATED DECEMBER 20, 2004, RESPONDING TO THE NRC ORDER SUSPENDING LICENSES (CONTROL NOS. 134920 AND 134921)

Dear Mr. Lynch:

This is in reference to your letter dated December 20, 2004, submitted in response to the December 10, 2004, "Denial of Safety Light Corporation's Applications to Renew Licenses and Order Suspending Licenses" for Nuclear Regulatory Commission License Nos. 37-00030-02, and 37-00030-08. Your letter responds to Section V of the Order Suspending License (Effective Immediately) (Order), providing your plan (the Plan) for orderly shutdown of the licensed activities at the Bloomsburg facility. However, your response includes an apparent request for relaxation of the order, in particular, with respect to receipt and processing of additional licensed materials after December 31, 2004.

In order to determine whether your request establishes good cause to permit you to receive additional material and process new material through January 31, 2005 (as described in paragraphs 1 and 4 of your letter), additional detail is requested with respect to the need for exit signs and light devices, such as:

- a. the number of exit signs and other light devices you have to fulfill under contract, and of this number, how many are for national defense contracts and the identity of the national defense contract recipients;
- b. the types and numbers of light sources required for the various types of exit signs and light devices that you have on hand, and the types and numbers of light sources you expect to need through January 31, 2005;

- c. the availability of the types of exit signs and light sources by other manufacturers to fulfill the customer needs, and specifically identifying if suitable replacements are available for the national defense contracts;
- d. the expected number of exit signs that would likely be received through March 31, 2005; the types of customers from whom you expect to receive such exit signs or other light devices; and if you have recently authorized any customers to return such devices and are expecting to receive them in the near future.

Provide information describing why you cannot begin to notify existing customers earlier than January 31, 2005, to ensure that your customers stop returning signs to you as soon as possible.

In regard to item 6 of your letter, be advised that the NRC expects that you will continue to operate the stack and monitoring system in accordance with the provisions and requirements of your license, along with the other activities required to terminate your licenses pursuant to 10 CFR 30.36.

Please note that on October 25, 2004, the NRC temporarily suspended public access to ADAMS, and initiated an additional security review of publicly available documents to ensure that potentially sensitive information is removed from the ADAMS database accessible through the NRC's web site. Interested members of the public may obtain copies of the referenced documents for review and/or copying by contacting the NRC Public Document Room pending resumption of public access to ADAMS. The NRC Public Document Room is located at NRC Headquarters in Rockville, MD, and can be contacted at 800-397-4209 or 301-415-4737 or [pdr@nrc.gov](mailto:pdr@nrc.gov).

We will continue our review upon receipt of this information. Please reply to my attention at the Region I Office and refer to Mail Control Nos. 134920 and 134921. If you have any technical questions regarding this letter, please call me at (610) 337-5283.

In order to continue prompt review of your December 20 request and, in keeping with the terms of the December 10 Order, we request that you submit your response to this letter by close of business, Monday, December 27, 2004.

Sincerely,

***Original signed by Francis M. Costello***

George Pangburn, Director  
Division of Nuclear Materials Safety

cc:  
Larry Harmon, Radiation Safety Officer  
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

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