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ATTN: Thomas K. Thompson Senior Health Physicist Commercial and R&D Branch Division of Nuclear Materials Safety

REFERENCE: Your Letter dated 11/3/2004 to Carl Petchik, CUA's Executive Director for Facilities Operations.

Dear Mr. Thompson:

The referenced letter requested additional information concerning our application for timely renewal of the subject license. We continue to assemble this information and will not be be able to meet the suggested 30-day response date. The University provided liberal leave during the Thanksgiving recess and shuts down for two weeks during the Christmas recess.

We respectively request an additional 30 days response time from the date of this letter.

Sincerely,

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Joseph J. Beres, Director Environmental Health & Safety

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