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Docket No. 03032069
Control No. 135933

License No. 37-28611-01

Juan Escobar
Operations Manager
Alcoa KAMA
600 Dietrich Avenue
Hazleton, PA 18201

SUBJECT: ALCOA KAMA, VOIDANCE OF REQUEST FOR LICENSE AMENDMENT,
CONTROL NO. 135933

Dear Mr. Escobar:

This refers to your letter dated October 28, 2004, requesting an Amendment to your license to authorize a device containing 800 millicuries of krypton 85. The device's registration certificate No. IL-1079-D-101-G states that the device may be possessed only under the general license in 10 CFR 31.5. NRC policy does not permit authorization of a general licensed device on a specific license. I have explained this to Mr. Ramsis Barsoum of your staff during my conversations on December 23, 2004, and January 4, 2005. We have voided your request for an Amendment.

Your cooperation with us is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Original signed by Sattar Lodhi, Ph.D.

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cc:
Patrick M. Cain, Radiation Safety Officer

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