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FOIA/PA REQUEST

Case No.: 2005-0141  
Date Rec'd: 2-10-05  
Specialist: *Ramona*  
Related Case: \_\_\_\_\_

May 3, 2004

FOIA Officer  
U.S. Department of Energy  
1000 Independence Avenue, SW  
Washington, DC 20585

RE: FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT REQUEST

Dear Sir or Madam:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552, I am requesting any and all documents including, but not limited to agency contracts, other contract-related documents, tolling agreements/arrangements, correspondence, memoranda, and notes of meetings, concerning the operation of, products produced by, and waste handling and disposal activities at the Hematite, Missouri, uranium fuels processing/fabrication facility

At various times the following entities ran or were associated with the Hematite facility:

- Mallinckrodt Chemical Works (MCW) (1956-1958, 1960-1961)
- Mallinckrodt Nuclear Corporation (MNC), a subsidiary of Mallinckrodt Chemical Works (1959-1960)
- United Nuclear Corporation (UNC) (1961-1971)
- Gulf United Nuclear Fuels Corporation (GUNFC) (1971-1974)
- Gulf Nuclear Fuels Company (1974)
- General Atomics Company (1974)
- Combustion Engineering, Incorporated (CE) (1974-2001)
- Asea Brown Boveri (ABB)-Combustion Engineering Nuclear Power, Incorporated (1989-2001)
- ABB C-E Nuclear Power, Incorporated (1999-2001)
- Westinghouse Electric Company/Corporation (WEC) (2001-Present)

This includes, but is not limited to, any information regarding the Hematite facility's work under the following licenses/dockets:

- Special Nuclear Materials License No. SNM-33
- Special Nuclear Materials License No. SNM-777
- Docket No. 70-000036
- Docket No. 70-000820

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This includes, but is not limited to, any information regarding the Hematite facility's work on the following contracts/subcontracts/purchase orders:

- AT (30-1)-0065
- AT (30-1)-0066
- AT (30-1)-0211
- AT (30-1)-0528
- AT (30-1)-0556
- AT (30-1)-0862
- AT (30-1)-2303
- AT (30-1)-2374
- AT (30-1)-2608
- AT (30-1)-2633
- AT (30-1)-2644
- AT (30-1)-2676
- AT (30-1)-2799
- AT (30-1)-2832
- AT (30-1)-2832
- AT (30-1)-2836
- AT (30-1)-2869
- AT (30-1)-2877
- AT (30-1)-2899
- AT (30-1)-3078
- AT (30-1)-3118
- AT (30-1)-3128
- AT (30-1)-3250
- AT (30-1)-3305
- AT (30-1)-3415
- AT (30-1)-3501
- AT (30-1)-3665
- AT (30-1)-3908
- AT (30-1)-4047
- AT (30-1)-4070
- NY-1-61-58
- NY-1-61-58
- NY-43-61-1833
- NY-60-1465
- NY-60-1465
- NY-60-1565
- NY-60-2504
- NY-60-7504
- NY-61-1472-2
- NY-61-1472-S
- NY-61-2766
- NY-62-220
- NY-62-220
- NY-62-363-2
- NY-62-363-2
- NY-62-410-2
- NY-62-516-2
- NY-62-75-3
- NY-62-75-5
- NY-9-61-770
- NY-9-61-778
- SAN-GE-60-142
- HE-0261
- HE-0781
- HE-1133
- HE-1291
- HE-1593
- HE-1704
- HE-2281
- K-313
- K-320
- K-324
- K-326
- K-332
- K-431
- K-443
- K-467
- K-493

In addition, we would like to obtain copies of certain specific documents as described below:

1. Any and all documents and information concerning Nuclear Safety Review Board and Health and Safety Laboratory (HASL) communications with the Hematite facility.
2. Any and all documents and information concerning materials, special nuclear materials, and/or other nuclear materials transfer forms documenting uranium and other materials transferred to or from the Hematite, Missouri, facility between 1956 and 2004.
3. Any and all documents and information concerning the activities of the materials accountability station associated with the Hematite facility. It appears this materials accountability station was identified as MAL (Mallinckrodt), MNC (Mallinckrodt Nuclear Corporation), and/or UNC (United Nuclear Corporation).
4. Any and all documents and information relating to fuel cycle development contracts with the Hematite, Missouri, facility.
5. Any and all rules, regulations, and directives concerning fuel cycle development contracts.
6. Any and all documents and information concerning purchase orders with the prefix HE- or K- relating to the Hematite, Missouri, facility.

Please review any potentially relevant records held at federal records centers or retained by your offices or those of your contractors for documents responsive to my request.

HAI also requests copies of any and all Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) requests submitted to DOE that requested similar documents or information pertaining to the Hematite, Missouri, facility, as well as copies of all responsive documents to these requests. This could include, but is not limited to, the following types of records: the letter of request, the letter of response, notes and correspondence compiled by DOE during the search for responsive materials, a list of responsive documents, and all responsive documentation.

To the extent that any relevant documents are classified, I request that you declassify and/or sanitize the documents for our review. If there are classified documents that you will not declassify and/or sanitize, I request that you identify any and all such documents by listing date, author, recipient(s), and unclassified subject matter. I would also appreciate receiving any materials you can release as soon as possible rather than waiting for all the responsive documents to clear your review process.


I recognize that the volume of records responsive to this request may be large. In the past, DOE and other federal agencies have permitted HAI researchers to assist in the review of files referenced in FOIA requests. In cases where potentially relevant records are maintained

as part of security classified collections, HAI researchers with appropriate security clearances have been granted "need-to-know" access by appropriate government officials. This approach has proven cost-effective for all parties concerned. It allows HAI to identify a limited number of responsive documents to be copied, thereby reducing the amount of time required by DOE to review and process documents for release and avoiding a time-consuming item-by-item examination of requested boxes by DOE. Please contact me as soon as possible concerning the feasibility of this arrangement in this instance.

We agree to pay all reasonable and standard processing fees authorized by 5 U.S.C. § 552 (a)(4)(A) and the applicable regulations up to \$100. If the fees will exceed this amount, please call me for further authorization.

Please contact me at (301) 279-9697 if more information is needed to process the above request. Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

  
(Matthew S. Hammel)  
Historian

MSH/gm