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SUBJECT: INITIAL NRC FORM 241 FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2006

Mr. Jo:

The NRC received your reciprocity request dated December 12, 2005, for the use of radioactive materials at U.S. Army Yuma Proving Ground (YPG). The NRC's legal jurisdiction to regulate the use of radioactive materials on Federal property in Agreement States, such as Arizona, is limited to those lands which are designated as being under exclusive Federal jurisdiction. In Agreement States, the NRC does not retain a legal jurisdiction to regulate the use of radioactive materials on Federal property that is commonly designated as either "concurrent," "partial," or "proprietary" jurisdiction.

Today, I received a phone call from Mr. David Holbrook, Legal Counsel at YPG, who stated that YPG is proprietary jurisdiction. As a result, the use of radioactive materials on Federal property at YPG would be regulated by the state of Arizona. You will need to contact the state of Arizona to determine how to file for reciprocity or obtain an Arizona license. Communications with the state of Arizona should be addressed to:

> Arizona Radiation Regulatory Agency
> ATTN: Mr. Bill Wright
> 4814 South 40th Street
> Phoenix, AZ 85040
> 602-255-4845 x227

I have enclosed your reciprocity request package. If there are any questions regarding this letter or working in NRC jurisdiction, please do not hesitate to contact me at 817-276-6552.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.390 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter will be available electronically for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room or from the NRC's document system (ADAMS). ADAMS is accessible from the NRC Web site at http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure: As stated