February 9, 2006

MEMORANDUM TO: Daniel M. Gillen, Deputy Director Division of Waste Management and Environmental Protection Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards

- FROM: Ken Kalman, Project Manager /RA/ Division of Waste Management and Environmental Protection Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards
- SUBJECT: MEETING WITH SHIELDALLOY METALLURGICAL CORPORATION TO DISCUSS THE NEWFIELD FACILITY DECOMMISSIONING PLAN DEFICIENCIES AND DECOMMISSIONING PATH FORWARD
- DATE & TIME: Thursday, March 9, 2006, 1:00 p.m. 4:30 p.m.
- LOCATION: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), Headquarters One White Flint North Room: O-12B4 11555 Rockville Pike Rockville, MD 20852-2738

PURPOSE: On January 26, 2006, staff of the Division of Waste Management and Environmental Protection (DWMEP) informed Shieldalloy Metallurgical Corporation (SMC) that the Decommissioning Plan (DP) for its Newfield, New Jersey facility was not being accepted by the DWMEP staff. SMC submitted its revised DP for the Newfield facility in October 2005. Staff conducted a 90-day acceptance review using the Consolidated Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards Decommissioning Guidance (NUREG-1757) and the May 15, 2004, interim guidance for a long term control license at the SMC site. The acceptance review also included a limited technical review in accordance with DWMEP Decommissioning Directorate procedures. Deficiencies were identified throughout the DP. Major deficiencies were identified in the DP discussion of several technical areas: Dose Modeling: Surface Water Hydrology and Erosion Protection; Institutional Controls; and, Financial Assurance.

> During this meeting, NRC Management will meet with SMC to discuss the requirements and a path forward for resubmission of the DP. NRC staff will then discuss the deficiencies noted in its acceptance review.

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Agenda for NRC/SMC Meeting to Discuss SMC Decommissioning Plan, March 9, 2006

- 1:00 p.m. Introductions
- 1:15 p.m. General Discussion about Requirements (NRC and Shieldalloy Senior Management)
- 1:30 p.m. Technical Discussions Sections 1-3 (Kalman)

Section 4: Radiological Status of the Facility (Peckenpaugh)

- Section 5: Dose Modeling Evaluations (Walker/Thaggard)
- Section 6 & 7: Environmental Information/ALARA Analysis (Schmidt)
- Section 8: Planned Decommissioning Activities (Kalman/ RLJohnson/TJohnson)

Section 9: Project Management and Organization (Kalman)

- 2:45 p.m. Break
- 3:00 p.m. Technical Discussion (Continued)

Section 10: Health and Safety Program (Schmidt)

- Section 11: Environmental Monitoring and Control Program (Schmidt)
- Section 12: Radioactive Waste Management Program (Schmidt)
- Section 13: Qualtiy Assurance Program (Schmidt)
- Section 14: Facility Radiation Surveys (Schmidt)
- Section 15: Financial Assurance (RLJohnson/Fredrichs)
- Section 16: Restricted Use and Alternate Criteria (RLJohnson/MBaty)

Section 17 & 18: Tables and Figures (All)

Volume III: Environmental Report (Davis/Suber)

- 4:10 p.m. Wrap Up / Follow Up Items (Kalman)
- 4:20 p.m. Opportunity for Public Comment
- 4:30 p.m. Closing Statements

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