

ACCEPTANCE REVIEW MEMO

Licensee: Montana Refining Company

License No.: 25-27488-01

Docket No.: 030-33433

Mail Control No.: 470910

Type of Action: Amend Date of Requested Action: 03-08-06

Reviewer Assigned: _____ Date Assigned to Reviewer: _____

Reviewer(s) Who Performed Review: *Torres*

RITC

Response Received	Deficiencies Noted During Acceptance Review
	1. <i>Note: Inventory as per inspection report dtd 3/20/06</i>
	2. <i>(MLOG1010374) states 200mCi Am-241 and 145mCi</i>
	3. <i>Cs-137. These quantities are below SUNSI RIS 2005-31.</i>
	4. <i>RITC 5/15/06</i>

Reviewer's Initials: _____

Date: _____

Branch Chief's and/or SR. HP's Initials: _____

Date: _____

Yes No Action - decommissioning notification should be issued within 30 days.
 Yes No Termination request < 90 days from date of expiration
 Yes No Action to be expedited
 _____ Medical emergency
 _____ Licensee in noncompliance (i.e. no RSO, location of use/storage not on license, radioactive material in possession not on license)
 _____ National Security
 _____ Other (_____)

Branch Chief's and/or Sr. HP's Initials: _____ Date: _____

SUNSI ~~SISP~~ Review

Yes No **Non-Publicly Available, Sensitive** if any item below is checked
 _____ Radionuclides, forms, and quantities
 _____ Location of RAM
 _____ Building drawings with locations of RAM
 _____ Security of RAM (locks, alarms, etc.)
 _____ SS&D Catalog information
 _____ Specifics of Emergency Plan (routes to and from RAM, response to security events, etc.)
 _____ Safeguards Information

Branch Chief's and/or Sr. HP's Initials: *RITC* Date: *3/14/2006* *RITC*

ADAMS # MLOG0800659
 Template _____
 Date 3/21/06 QC'd by SM



MONTANA REFINING COMPANY

1900 Tenth Street N.E. / Great Falls, Montana 59404-1955

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PLEASE DELIVER 4 PAGES INCLUDING THIS COVER SHEET

COMPANY: Nuclear Regulatory Commission FAX #: 1-817-860-8263

ATTN: Colleen Murnahan PHONE # 1-817-860-8103

MESSAGE: _____

FROM: Dexter Busby DATE: 3-8-06

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March 8, 2006

Via: FAX

Colleen Murnahan
Nuclear Materials Licensing Assistant
Nuclear Regulatory Commission
NRC, Region IV
Division of Nuclear Materials Safety

Re: Nuclear Material License 25-27488-01

Dear Ms Murnahan:

On March 2, 2006 HOLLY CORPORATION the owner of the three entities that collectively make up Montana Refining Company, A partnership, (Black Eagle Inc., Navajo Northern Inc., and Montana Refining Company) signed a Buy – Sell agreement with a subsidiary of Connacher Oil and Gas Limited of Calgary, Alberta. The facility will be operated by Montana Refining Company, Inc. (MRCI) a Delaware Corporation.

The Business and Facility Address is: Montana Refining Company, Inc
1900 10th Street N.E.
Great Falls, Montana 59404-1955

The authorized individual to conduct business with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission regarding the above license is the Radiation Safety Officer: Mark Johnson

The scheduled closing date for the transaction and for the start of Montana Refining Company, Inc as the operator of the facility is: March 31, 2006.

If you require more information or I can be of farther assistance please do not hesitate to contact Mark Johnson or me at 406-761-4100.

Sincerely,

Dexter Busby
Environmental Manager
Montana Refining Company, Inc

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Information Required for Change of Control and/or Change of Ownership
(to include a name change)

source: Appendix F of NUREG-1556, Volume 15 (Date Published: November 2000)

Please provide the following information concerning changes of control (transferor and/or transferee, as appropriate). If any items are not applicable, so state.

1. Provide a complete description of the transaction (i.e., transfer of stocks or assets, or merger). Indicate whether the name has changed and include the new name. Include the name and telephone number of a licensee contact who NRC may contact if more information is needed.

A. Description of the transaction:

B. No name change

New name of licensed organization:

MONTANA REFINING COMPANY, INC.

C. No change in contact

New contact: _____

New telephone number: _____

2. Describe any changes in personnel or duties that relate to the licensed program. Include training and experience for new personnel.

A. No changes in personnel having control over licensed activities.

Changes in personnel having control over licensed activities (e.g. officers of a corporation):

B. No changes in personnel named in the license.

Changes in personnel named in the license (e.g. RSO, AUs) - including training, experience and responsibilities:

3. Describe, in detail, any changes in the organization, location, facilities, equipment or procedures that relate to the licensed program.

Organization:

Equipment:

Location:

Procedures:

Facility:

Not applicable

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4. Describe the status of the surveillance program (i.e., surveys, wipe tests, quality control) at the present time and the expected status at the time that control is to be transferred.

A. Description of the status of all surveillance program: *PROGRAMS and documentation are in place now and will remain unchanged with ownership transfer.*

B. Surveillance Items & Records: calibrations, leak tests, surveys, inventories, and accountability requirements will be current at the time of transfer

Yes [] No (explain)

5. Confirm that all records concerning the safe and effective decommissioning of the facility will be transferred to the transferee or to NRC, as appropriate. These records include documentation of surveys of ambient radiation levels and fixed and/or removable contamination, including methods and sensitivity.

Records transferred to:

New licensee [] NRC for license termination [] Not applicable

6. Confirm that the transferee will abide by all constraints, conditions, requirements and commitments of the transferor or that the transferee will submit a complete description of the proposed licensed program.

[] Description of proposed licensed program attached

OR

MONTANA REFINING COMPANY, INC. will abide by all constraints, conditions, requirements and commitments of MONTANA REFINING COMPANY.
(transferee) (transferor)

[Signature]
Signature/Title
Transferee
PATR SAMETZ
EVP + C.O.O.

3/3/06
date

[Signature]
Signature/Title
Transferor

3/3/06
date

OR

[] Not applicable (name change only)

Certifying Officer - Signature

Date

Certifying Officer - Typed name and title

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DATE

This is to acknowledge the receipt of your letter/application dated 03-08-06, and to inform you that the initial processing, which includes an administrative review, has been performed.

There were no administrative omissions. Your application will be assigned to a technical reviewer. Please note that the technical review may identify additional omissions or require additional information.

Please provide to this office within 30 days of your receipt of this card:

The action you requested is normally processed within 90 days.

A copy of your action has been forwarded to our License Fee & Accounts Receivable Branch, who will contact you separately if there is a fee issue involved.

Your action has been assigned **Mail Control Number** 470910.
When calling to inquire about this action, please refer to this mail control number.
You may call me at 817-860-8103.

Sincerely,



Licensing Assistant

