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Mr. Robert J. Lewis, Chief
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Spent Fuel Project Office
Office of Nuclear Material Safety
and Safeguards
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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Subject: Request for Renewal of Certificate of Compliance for the Model No. FSV-1 Unit 3 Shipping Cask (CoC No. USA/9277/B()F);

Docket No: 71-9277

Dear Mr. Lewis:

General Atomics (GA) holds a valid Certificate of Compliance (CoC) for its Model No. FSV-1 Unit 3 shipping container (CoC No. USA/9277/B()F) which is due to expire on July 31, 2006.

GA anticipates continued need of this package for the transport of radioactive materials during the NRC/DOT four year "phase-out" period ending October 1, 2008 for package designs designated as B() or B()F and originally approved prior to September 6, 1983. Accordingly, GA hereby submits an application for the renewal of the subject Certificate of Compliance with a revised expiration date of October 1, 2008.

The sections on operating procedures, acceptance tests, and maintenance programs have been reviewed to assure they are complete and current. No revisions were necessary. If you should have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at (858) 455-2823.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Keith E. Asmussen".

Keith E. Asmussen, Ph.D., Director
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