

CONVERSATION RECORD

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5-19-2006

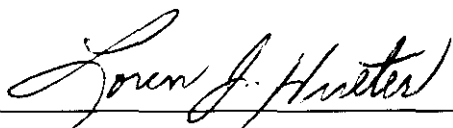
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NAME OF PERSON(S) CONTACTED OR IN CONTACT      ORGANIZATION (OFFICE, DEPT. ETC.)      TELEPHONE NO.  
Shelby Leonard, Team Leader,      Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL)      505-667-6701  
OSR Project      Off-Site Source Recovery (OSR) Project  
Los Alamos, New Mexico

SUBJECT  
Control No. 315287 – Re receipt from, and transfer of custody by, William Jewell College, of the 2 curie 239Pu/Be neutron source they possessed under NRC License No. SNM-806, in support of their request for termination of subject license.

SUMMARY  
In our telephone conversations on this date, I asked for an explanation for the difference in the quantities, 32 grams Plutonium-239 authorized on License No. SNM-806 and the 30 "Grams Isotopic" of 239Pu/Be specified under "Source Information" on the LANL Off-Site Source Recovery Project form regarding transfer of custody. Ms. Leonard explained that the 30 grams refers to the isotope of Plutonium-239 only where as the 32 grams also includes the small quantities of other isotopes of plutonium. Ms. Leonard also explained that the delay in time between when they came to the licensee and prepared the material for shipment and the actual date of shipment has been caused by difficulties experienced by the recipient over which OSR had no control. Additional surveys to meet DOT shipping requirements were made just prior to actual shipment.

ACTION REQUIRED  
License reviewer to use above information in evaluation of license termination request.

NAME OF PERSON DOCUMENTING CONVERSATION      SIGNATURE      DATE  
  
Loren J. Hueter            5-19-2006

ACTION TAKEN

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