



UNITED STATES  
**NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**  
REGION I  
475 ALLENDALE ROAD  
KING OF PRUSSIA, PENNSYLVANIA 19406-1415

October 19, 2006

Docket Nos. 04000341  
Control Nos. 138087  
138458

License Nos. STC-133

Michael J. Pecullen  
Radiation Safety Officer  
Defense Logistics Agency  
Defense National Stockpile Center  
8725 John J. Kingman Road  
Suite 3229  
Fort Belvoir, VA 22060-6223

**SUBJECT: DEFENSE LOGISTICS AGENCY, RECEIPT OF DECOMMISSIONING PLANS  
AND ACCEPTANCE FOR TECHNICAL REVIEW, AMENDMENT REQUEST,  
CONTROL NOS. 138087 AND 138458**

Dear Mr. Pecullen:

This letter is to acknowledge the receipt of the letter transmitting the Decommissioning Plan (DP), "Decommissioning/Remediation Plan for Curtis Bay Depot, Curtis Bay, Maryland and Hammond Depot, Hammond, Indiana", dated September 2006. We have completed our initial acceptance review of your DP and have determined that your submission is sufficiently complete for NRC to initiate our detailed technical review. Our goal is to complete the detailed technical review by January 2008 (15 months from the receipt date) and we may need to contact you for additional information or clarifications during the detailed technical review.

Our consideration of your Amendment Request to approve the DP will be published in the Federal Register, along with a notice that any person whose interest may be affected by the proceedings may file a request for hearing in accordance with Subpart C of 10 CFR 2.

Although a single DP was submitted for these two facilities, we identified several differences between the two sites and have decided to review the sites separately. The review of the DP for the Curtis Bay Depot will be performed under Control No. 138458, for which Stephen Hammann is the Region I reviewer. He may be contacted at (610) 337-5399. The review of the DP for Hammond Depot will be performed under Control No. 138087, for which I am the Region I reviewer.

M. Pecullen  
Defense Logistics Agency

2

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. If you have any questions regarding this letter, please call me at (610) 337-5040.

Sincerely,

***Original signed by Elizabeth Ullrich***

Betsy Ullrich  
Senior Health Physicist  
Commercial and R&D Branch  
Division of Nuclear Materials Safety

DOCUMENT NAME: C:\FileNet\ML062930051.wpd

**SUNSI Review Complete: EUllrich**

After declaring this document "An Official Agency Record" it will be released to the Public.

To receive a copy of this document, indicate in the box: "C" = Copy w/o attach/encl "E" = Copy w/ attach/encl "N" = No copy

OFFICE	DNMS/RI	N	DNMS/RI	N	DNMS/RI			
NAME	Eullrich/EU		SHammann/STH					
DATE	10/19/2006		10/19/2006					

OFFICIAL RECORD COPY