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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region I
Security and Industrial Branch
Division of Nuclear Materials Safety
475 Allendale Road
King of Prussia, PA 19406 - 1415

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Attention: Mr. John D. Kinneman
Chief

RE: U. S. Silica Company - Berkeley Springs Plant

Dear Mr. Kinneman:

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Reference is made to NRC License Number 47-09375-07 issued to the U. S. Silica Company that expires on September 30, 2014. The following three amendments are requested for this license.

1. **NRC LICENSE CONDITION #10, ITEM B** – Request the addition of two transferred fixed gauge devices at the Berkeley Springs Plant. See enclosed gauge device summary.
2. **NRC LICENSE CONDITION #10, ITEM E** – Request the deletion of two transferred fixed gauge devices at the Millville Plant. See enclosed gauge device summary.
3. **NRC LICENSE CONDITION #23** – Request that this be amended for gauge devices.

USS understands that no NRC fee is required for the processing of these three amendment requests. Advise if any questions exist or if further information is needed after your review.

Sincerely,

U. S. SILICA COMPANY

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FIXED GAUGE DEVICES SUMMARY

TWO FIXED GAUGE DEVICES TRANSFERRED FROM THE MILLVILLE PLANT IN NEW JERSEY TO THE BERKELEY SPRINGS PLANT IN WEST VIRGINIA

UNIT #1

DEVICE	Density Meter
APPLICATION	Mass Flow Meter
MANUFACTURER	Nuclear Chicago
TYPE OF ISOTOPE	CS 137
MILLICURIES	200 mCi
MODEL NO.	5176
SERIAL NO.	2281 (Source Serial No. SA-424)

UNIT #2

DEVICE	Density Meter
APPLICATION	Mass Flow Meter
MANUFACTURER	Nuclear Chicago
TYPE OF ISOTOPE	CS 137
MILLICURIES	200 mCi
MODEL NO.	5202
SERIAL NO.	B1238 (Source Serial No. GG-5288)

Prepared By – Jack M. Pryor
Date – October 30, 2006

This is to acknowledge the receipt of your letter/application dated ^(s)

10/27/06 @ 10/30/06, and to inform you that the initial processing which includes an administrative review has been performed.

Amendments 47-69375-07 There were no administrative omissions. Your application was 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

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** 139688.
When calling to inquire about this action, please refer to this control number.
You may call us on (610) 337-5398, or 337-5260.