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Mr. Kelly W. Crooks
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Dear Mr. Crooks:

Enclosed is Amendment No. **46** amending NRC Material License No. **SUC-1380**, which authorizes the release of Area 31, located at the Lake City army Ammunition Plant, Independence, Missouri, as requested in your letter dated May 2, 2007.

An environmental assessment for this action is not required, since this action is categorically excluded under 10 CFR 51.22(c)(14)(xvi), which involves the use of source, byproduct or special nuclear material in quantities and form similar to those categorically excluded in sections (I)- (xv) of Category 14 and, therefore, have insignificant environmental impacts. .

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Please review the enclosed document carefully and be sure that you understand all conditions. If there are any errors or questions, please. Do not hesitate to contact me at (630) 829-9856.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "George M. McCann".

George M. McCann, Senior Health Physicist
Decommissioning Branch

Enclosure: As stated