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SUBJECT: Facility Release and Amendment Request NRC License No. STC-133

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission 475 Allendale Road ATTN: Mr. John Kinneman, Chief Nuclear Material Safety Section B Division of Radiation Safety and Safeguards King of Prussia, PA 19406

Dear Mr. Kinneman:

The DLA/Defense National Stockpile Center (DNSC) is submitting the enclosed report and pertinent information for your review and concurrence to release the previously used storage site at the Voorheesville Area - Guilderland Center, New York for unrestricted We also request you amend our license to reflect this release.

In an effort to consolidate storage space and reduce our inventory of licensed sites, we have relocated the entire inventory of columbium/tantalum radioactive source material from the Voorheesville, NY site to our licensed facility at the DNSC Scotia Depot, Scotia, NY. The project commenced on 23 July 90 and was completed on 01 August 90. A total of 2001 universal type steel drums with lock ring and bolts were relocated, totalling approximately 1,669,174 pounds. The material was stored at Voorheesville in cordwood fashion on concrete blocks since June of 1978. The drums were in excellent condition and no leaks or spills of material were noted. Radiation surveys performed at the 55' X 170' storage area revealed nothing in excess of background. The transport vehicles were all monitored before and after shipment and showed no readings in excess of background.

I apologize for the delay in this submission. We have one other facility release and amendment in your office at this time (U.S. Naval Weapons Support Center, Crane, IN.) and since this appeared to be a project that was below regulatory concern we were waiting until our other facility was released until we submitted this report.

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Should you have any questions or wish to perform a confirmatory survey please contact this office so we can have someone at the facility to escort you to the previous storage area. I can be

reached on 703-746-7359.

Industrial Hygienist