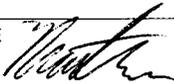


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<b>CONVERSATION RECORD</b>				TIME <b>9:30am</b>
NAME OF PERSON(S) CONTACTED OR IN CONTACT WITH YOU <b>Tammy Morin</b>		TELEPHONE NO. <b>856-797-0900</b>		TYPE OF CONVERSATION <input type="checkbox"/> VISIT <input type="checkbox"/> CONFERENCE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TELEPHONE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> INCOMING <input type="checkbox"/> OUTGOING
ORGANIZATION <b>Holtec International Incorporated</b>				
SUBJECT <b>Clarification of RAIs for the HI-STAR 60 Transportation Package</b>				
SUMMARY (Continue on Page 2)				
NRC Attendees: <b>Matthew Gordon, Robert Einziger, Charles Interrante, and Carl Withee</b>				
<p><b>Holtec International Incorporated (Holtec) called the NRC to clarify the request for additional information (RAIs) dated on September 3, 2008, regarding neutron absorber acceptance testing. The acceptance testing was discussed with technical reviewers from the Division of Spent Fuel Storage and Transportation (SFST).</b></p> <p><b>The NRC staff requested quantitative information for the particle size, neutron beam diameter, number of samples tested, and other parameters involved in the acceptance testing. The NRC staff also requested statements in the description of the acceptance testing which linked the production of the neutron absorbing plates to the same manufacturing process used to qualify the plates for wet-rack storage.</b></p> <p><b>Holtec offered to prepare an initial response to the RAIs relevant to neutron absorber acceptance testing and present them in a meeting with the NRC on September 24, 2008. The NRC voiced concerns about potential issues with RAI 2-13, which focused on the impact limiter temperatures under normal conditions of transport (NCT). After a brief discussion, Holtec shared a preliminary response to RAI 2-13, and agreed to obtain data on the mechanical properties of the epoxy used in the aluminum honeycomb impact limiters.</b></p>				
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ACTION REQUIRED <b>None</b>				
NAME OF PERSON DOCUMENTING CONVERSATION <b>Matthew Gordon</b>		SIGNATURE 		DATE <b>09/18/2008</b>
ACTION TAKEN <b>None</b>				
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