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Keith McConnell, Deputy Director, Mail Stop T-8F5  
Decommissioning and Uranium Recovery Licensing Directorate  
Division of Waste Management and Environmental Management Program  
11555 Rockville Pike  
Rockville, MD 20852

Re: Rio Algom Ambrosia Lake Facility, Docket No. 40-8905; Withdrawal of Application  
for Indirect Change of Control (SUA-1473)

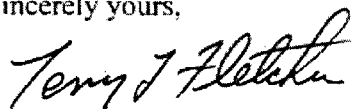
Dear Messrs. McConnell and McLaughlin:

Rio Algom Mining LLC ("RAML") hereby gives notice that Uranium Resources, Inc. ("URI") and Billiton Investment 15 B.V. have entered into a mutual Consent to Terminate the Membership Interest Purchase Agreement dated October 12, 2007 (the "Purchase Agreement") pursuant to which URI was to acquire ownership and control of RAML. NRC's consent to the such transaction and change of control was requested by application submitted December 18, 2007 (TAC number J00554). Termination of the Purchase Agreement means that the proposed indirect transfer or change of control with respect to materials license SUA-1473 will no longer occur. Accordingly, RAML withdraws its application for NRC's consent to an indirect change of control.

NRC noticed receipt of the application for consent on the NRC web site at <http://www.nrc.gov>, in accordance with 10 CFR Part 2, Subpart M. Subsequently, on June 18, 2008, NRC published in the *Federal Register* a notice of opportunity for hearing on RAML's change of control application. To date, no petition is filed or hearing docketed in relation to the federal register notice.

Please feel free to contact me at 505-287-8851 or Brian Moll, Esq., counsel for RAML at 602-364-7138, should you have any questions or concerns or if I can be of assistance concerning this matter.

Sincerely yours,



Terry Fletcher  
President

cc: Lucas Narducci Esq./Brian Moll, Esq.  
Alfred Chidester, Esq. (for URI)