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Dear Sir:

This letter is to notify you in accordance with 10 CFR 30.34 (h) that on January 26, 2009, Smurfit-Stone and our U.S. and Canadian subsidiaries, including Smurfit-Stone Container Enterprises, Inc., filed voluntary petitions for reorganization under Chapter 11 in the U.S. Bankruptcy Court in Wilmington, Delaware.

We took this step to help protect and strengthen our long-term value and growth plans. By reorganizing our capital structure, we will work to become a more financially healthy company that is well positioned to meet the current market challenges. We will be conducting “business as usual” throughout our reorganization process.

Further information about the restructuring and updates are available on the Smurfit-Stone corporate website at <http://www.smurfit.com:8080/content/company/restructuring/>

A notification of the bankruptcy was sent to the NRC Accounts Receivable Team in St. Louis on February 26 after we determined the status of our annual fee payment. I now understand however that notification should be made to the NRC Regional Administrator.

Please contact me if you need further information.

Sincerely,

Thomas J. Roberts  
Radiation Safety Officer

CC: Stan Brewer, Eric Schmidt  
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