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I have some additional information on event NC 040039 that was included in the transfer file sent to you on 11-30-04. The information for that event in the transfer file indicated that health physicists from our agency would visit the site to investigate the cause of the gate monitor trip. Two health physicists went to the site on December 1, 2004 and found the material that caused the trip to be five military type radio-luminescent spot markers. Surveys of the markers indicated approximately 50,000 cpm, beta/gamma, and 4,000 cpm gamma. A portable spectroscopy device identified the material as Radium 226. The activity of the markers could not be determined. The markers will be secured on site until the military can come and retrieve them.

If you have questions, please notify me.

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