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SUA-1482  
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Hecla Mining Company  
6500 Mineral Drive  
Box C-8000  
Coeur d'Alene, Idaho 83814-1931

Gentlemen:

Enclosed is your upgraded Source Material License SUA-1482. This license incorporates the site survey aspects of your "Work Plan for Site Surveys and Cleanup" for the Johnny M Mine submitted by letter to the NRC dated October 16, 1987, and as discussed in the meeting between Hecla and NRC staff on September 15, 1987, at the Uranium Recovery Field Office.

This license reflects the current facility status and has therefore been reissued in its entirety.

This license was discussed and agreed to via telecon between Ms. Colleen D. Kelley and Mr. Ralph S. Heyer of my staff on January 6, 1988.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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R. Dale Smith, Director  
Uranium Recovery Field Office  
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Enclosure: Source Material License SUA-1482

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## MATERIALS LICENSE

Pursuant to the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, the Energy Reorganization Act of 1974 (Public Law 93 - 438), and Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, Chapter I, Parts 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 40 and 70, and in reliance on statements and representations heretofore made by the licensee, a license is hereby issued authorizing the licensee to receive, acquire, possess, and transfer byproduct, source, and special nuclear material designated below; to use such material for the purpose(s) and at the place(s) designated below; to deliver or transfer such material to persons authorized to receive it in accordance with the regulations of the applicable Part(s). This license shall be deemed to contain the conditions specified in Section 183 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, and is subject to all applicable rules, regulations and orders of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission now or hereafter in effect and to any conditions specified below.

Licensee		
1. Hecla Mining Company	3. License number	SUA-1482
2. 6500 Mineral Drive P.O. Box C-8000 Coeur d'Alene, Idaho 83814-1931	4. Expiration date	Until NRC determines site reclamation is adequate.
	5. Docket or Reference No.	40-8914
6. Byproduct, source, and/or special nuclear material	7. Chemical and/or physical form	8. Maximum amount that licensee may possess at any one time under this license
Uranium byproducts	Any	Unlimited
9. Authorized place of use: The licensee's mine backfilling locations in McKinley County, New Mexico.		
10. The licensee shall conduct pre-cleanup surveys at the Johnny M Mine site, in accordance with submittal entitled "Work Plan for Site Surveys and Cleanup" dated October 16, 1987. The results of the Site Survey and Soil Testing Plan shall be submitted to the USNRC Uranium Recovery Field Office by March 30, 1988.		
11. The licensee shall submit, by April 15, 1988, in the form of an amendment application a proposed cleanup action plan or proposed stabilization plan based on the findings of the surveys required by Condition No. 10 to this license.		

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