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Desc: Any information and/or records pertaining to any Byproduct Materials License issued by the Atomic Energy Commission to the General Steel Castings Corporation facility located in Eddystone, PA. The name of the company was changed to General Steel Industries, Inc., on May 1, 1961. The official acronym was GSI. The time frame would be 1950-1964, after which time the facility was shut down and the operation transferred to the General Steel Industries, Inc., site in Granite City IL. I have AEC license information on the Granite City IL site of General Steel Castings (later known as General Steel Industries, Inc.), which has been posted on the NRC Web site in response to a FOIA request by another party. I am requesting information only on the Eddystone, PA, site. I believe that the Eddystone facility performed industrial radiography using sealed sources, including Co-60.

This information is being requested on behalf of SC&A, Inc., which is under contract to the National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) to provide technical support to the Advisory Board on Radiation and Worker Health, a body appointed by the President. The Advisory Board is charged with reviewing work performed by the NIOSH Division of Compensation Analysis and Support (DCAS). DCAS assists with implementing the Energy Employees Occupational Illness Compensation Program Act of 2000 (EEOICPA) which provides compensation and medical benefits for nuclear weapons workers who may have developed certain work-related illnesses. The Advisory Board has tasked SC&A with reviewing analyses of the radiation

exposures of former employees of the General Steel Castings Corporation (later known as General Steel Industries, Inc.) at the Granite City, IL, facility performed by NIOSH/DCAS. Former workers have claimed that the Granite City facility employed a Co-60 source!

That was not listed on its AEC license, and they speculate that the source might have been transferred from the Eddystone, PA, facility. I am interested in knowing what radiation sources were possessed by Eddystone facility and how they were disposed of. SC&A has the responsibility for obtaining information, if necessary, independent of our client agency.

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Sent: Tuesday, July 06, 2010 4:03 PM
To: FOIA Resource
Subject: Attn: Donna L. Sealing FOIA/Privacy Act Officer Office of Information Services
Attachments: nrc_mail.pdf

Dear Ms. Sealing:

I have just submitted a FOIA request and received the confirmation showed in the attached PDF file. In brief, the request is for records pertaining to any Byproduct Materials License issued by the Atomic Energy Commission to the General Steel Castings Corporation facility located in Eddystone, PA. The name of the company was changed to General Steel Industries, Inc., on May 1, 1961. The time frame would be 1950–1964.

Last year, your office responded to a related request for information on the AEC license issued to the General Steel Castings Corporation (later known as General Steel Industries, Inc.) for use of Byproduct Materials at the facility located in Granite City, IL. That request, FOIA/PA-2010-00012, was assigned to FOIA/PA Specialist Warren Christian at 301-415-6574. Mr.

Christian was quite successful in obtaining the requested information. Therefore, he might be in the best position to uncover the records for another facility owned by the same company. I have just spoken to Mr. Christian, who suggested I pass this information on to you.

Best regards,

Robert Anigstein, Ph.D.
Task Manager
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Sincerely,

The NRC Web Team

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