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Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Nat Bassin
Science Management Branch
Division of Fuel Cycle & Material Safety
Washington, D. C. 20555

REF: License #STB-258

Gentlemen:

Subsequent to our timely application for renewal of our source material license earlier this year we have had some correspondence with you and have had a change of operation here at S.F. Appliances. We will be terminating our manufacturing operations requiring the use of Radioactive Natural Thorium and restricting our business to the importation, repackaging, quality control and sale of the gas mantles imported from Malta.

It seems to us in light of 10 CFR 40.13 (para. C-1-i) that we will no longer need a license from N.R.C. Please confirm our interpretation on this matter.

We will have removed all Natural Thorium Oxide stock from the premises through sale (to Coleman Co.) or disposal through Chem-Nuclear Systems by the end of this month.

We are asking Health Physics Associates to make a License termination survey of the plant at that time.

We will be looking forward to hearing from you on this matter.

Sincerely,

S. F. APPLIANCES LIMITED

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