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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
FOIA/Privacy Officer Mailstop: T-5 F09
Washington, DC 20555-0001

FOI/PA REQUEST
Case No.: 2011-0188
Date Rec'd: 4-14-11
Specialist: Cullen
Related Case: _____

Re: Freedom of Information Request

Dear FOIA Officer:

Please recognize this request for all information related to testing of radioactive or other materials or substances including radioactive zinc and/or radioactive cadmium, in the open air in St. Louis, Missouri between 1945 and 1970. Testing may have occurred through smoke, steam, aerosol spraying, or other methods. Tests may be referenced as "vulnerability tests", "open air tests", "tracer experiments", "dispersal test or experiments", "RAD test", "radioactive cloud", "biological dosimeter", "tracer research", "simulant tests", "radioactive cloud" studies, etc. To be succinct, I am interested in information regarding any and all intentional experimental releases of radiation, radioactive materials, or other substances on civilian populations in St. Louis during that time frame.

I am compiling research for my doctoral dissertation at the University of Missouri-Columbia. The information will be made available to those in the public domain as well as academics with access to various public databases and Proquest. Therefore, I hereby request that you waive any and all fees for this information. If you require clarification, please feel free to contact me via email at the address below.

Sincerely,



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