

June 21, 2011

Mr. Thomas K. Spencer, Production Manager
Radiation Safety Officer
Sigma-Aldrich Company
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Saint Louis, MO 63118

SUBJECT: CHANGE IN U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION STAFF PROJECT
MANAGEMENT FOR SIGMA-ALDRICH COMPANY'S FORT MIMS SITE

Dear Mr. Spencer:

By letter dated June 10, 2011, you were informed by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) that your site should be reclassified as a Group 5 site in accordance with the criteria outlined in NUREG-1757, "Consolidated Decommissioning Guidance," Volume 1. This determination was a result of NRC review of additional information regarding impacts due to an on-site septic tank found under the foundation of the former production building.

Furthermore, in accordance with the NUREG-1757 guidance, the NRC staff project management responsibilities for your site transferred from NRC Region III to NRC Headquarters Office of Federal and State Materials and Environmental Management Programs (FSME), located in Rockville Maryland.

Mr. Ted H. Carter, FSME/Materials Decommissioning Branch, has been assigned as your new Project Manager. He can be reached at (301) 415-5543. Future official correspondence should be directed to the Document Control Desk with a copy sent directly to:

Ted H. Carter
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Mail Stop T-8-F-5
Washington, DC 20555

Due to the project management transfer, we expect to complete the acceptance review of your request for unrestricted release by Wednesday, August 10, 2011. If you have any questions or comments regarding this change in project management oversight, please do not hesitate to contact me at (301) 415-7612.

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