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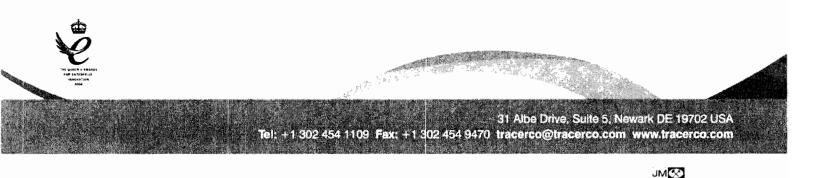
July 19, 20011

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Region 1 475 Allendale Road King of Prussia, PA 19406

- Attn: Kathy Modes, Senior Health Physicist Division of Nuclear Materials Safety
- Re: License No. 07-28386-01 Docket No. 030-31174 Amendment Request – Increase Na-24 to 5 Ci

Dear Ms. Modes:

Tracerco requests that Item 8.D of it's license number 07-28386-01 be amended to increase the possession limit of Na-24 to 5 Ci. This increase is due to the possibility of having multiple Na-24 jobs simultaneously and to allow for decay between the time the Na-24 is pulled from the reactor and its actual use at the jobsite, which includes transportation and unforeseen job delays. Normally we use Penn State as a supplier for Na-24, which allows us to stay within our current 1 Ci limit because of the close proximity. We have a job scheduled for next week but Penn State will not be able to fulfil our order. Subsequently, we will probably be required to use Texas A&M, which will present transport decay issues. Thus the reason for requesting the possession limit increase. Any assistance that can be provided in expediting our request will be appreciated.



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Please do not hesitate to contact me at 281-291-7769 if additional information or clarification is required to process amendment request.

Respectfully,

Norman Janier

Norman P. Lanier Corporate Radiation Safety Officer

cc: William Mixon - Tracerco NE Region Manager/RSO

