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In view of the foregoing, I have determined that disclosure of the information contained in the answer to DL question 3.13 is not required in the public interest nor by 10 CFR Part 9, and that it should therefore be withheld from public inspection pursuant to 2.790(b) of 10 CFR Part 2.

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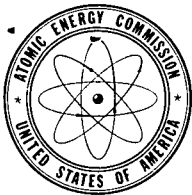
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