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US Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region I
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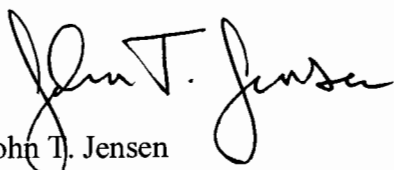
License No. 19-00915-03
Docket No. 030-04530

Dear Mr. Jackson:

This is in reference to Conditions 6, 7 and 8 of License Number 19-00915-03. We are requesting the addition of Plutonium-242 in any chemical and/or physical form (except sealed sources) with a maximum possession limit of 1 microcurie. The specific research protocols and locations of use of this material will be reviewed and approved by the USDA Radiation Safety Committee prior to its use (as prescribed by Conditions 9, 10, and 11 of the license).

We would appreciate your expedited review of this request. If you have any questions, please contact me on 301-504-2441.

Sincerely,


John T. Jensen
Chief

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This is to acknowledge the receipt of your letter/application dated

November 25, 2015, and to inform you that the initial processing which includes an administrative review has been performed.

Amendment C19-00915-03
There were no administrative omissions. Your application was assigned to a technical reviewer. Please note that the technical review may identify additional omissions or require additional information.

Please provide to this office within 30 days of your receipt of this card

A copy of your action has been forwarded to our License Fee & Accounts Receivable Branch, who will contact you separately if there is a fee issue involved.

Your action has been assigned **Mail Control Number** 589682.
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