



RESPONSE TO FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA) REQUEST

FOIA 2016-0150

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RESPONSE TYPE

INTERIM

FINAL

REQUESTER:

Byron DeLear

DATE:

01/11/2016

DESCRIPTION OF REQUESTED RECORDS:

Any and all records concerning the Atomic Energy Commission's licensing of auctioned nuclear waste and residues to Cont. Metals Corp., Cont. Mining and Milling, Com. Discount Corp., and Cotter Corp. from storage site SLAPS.

PART I. -- INFORMATION RELEASED

- Agency records subject to the request are already available in public ADAMS or on microfiche in the NRC Public Document Room.
- Agency records subject to the request are enclosed.
- Records subject to the request that contain information originated by or of interest to another Federal agency have been referred to that agency (see comments section) for a disclosure determination and direct response to you.
- We are continuing to process your request.
- See Comments.

PART I.A -- FEES

AMOUNT*

\$

You will be billed by NRC for the amount listed.

None. Minimum fee threshold not met.

You will receive a refund for the amount listed.

Fees waived.

*See Comments for details

PART I.B -- INFORMATION NOT LOCATED OR WITHHELD FROM DISCLOSURE

- We did not locate any agency records responsive to your request. *Note:* Agencies may treat three discrete categories of law enforcement and national security records as not subject to the FOIA ("exclusions"). 5 U.S.C. 552(c). This is a standard notification given to all requesters; it should not be taken to mean that any excluded records do, or do not, exist.
- We have withheld certain information pursuant to the FOIA exemptions described, and for the reasons stated, in Part II.
- Because this is an interim response to your request, you may not appeal at this time. We will notify you of your right to appeal any of the responses we have issued in response to your request when we issue our final determination.
- You may appeal this final determination within 30 calendar days of the date of this response by sending a letter or email to the FOIA Officer, at U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, D.C. 20555-0001, or FOIA.Resource@nrc.gov. Please be sure to include on your letter or email that it is a "FOIA Appeal."

PART I.C COMMENTS (Use attached Comments continuation page if required)

Some of the requested records have been purged in accordance with NUREG-0910, "NRC Comprehensive Records Disposition Schedule". Once agency records are purged, they are required to be purged from all agency systems, including the Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS). However, there may be records responsive to this request that have have been permanently transferred to the National Archives (NARA). You may submit a FOIA request to them via email at specialaccess_foia@nara.gov or by mail to Special Access and FOIA Staff (NWCTF) 8601 Adelphi Road, Room 5500, College Park, MD 20740.
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SIGNATURE - FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OFFICER

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PART I.C COMMENTS (Continued)

Due to the age of the documents and their retrieval from microfiche they are produced and provided in the best possible version and appearance.

The incoming request will be made available in ADAMS as ML#15348A012. Records with an ML accession number are publicly available in the NRC's Public Electronic Reading Room at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm.html>. If you need assistance in obtaining these records, please contact the NRC's Public Document Room (PDR) at 301-415-4737, or 1-800-397-4209, or by email to PDR.Resource@nrc.gov.