



UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555-0001

March 8, 2017

Cammenga and Associates, LLC
ATTN: Christopher J. Karchon
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Dearborn, MI 48124

SUBJECT: U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION APPROVAL OF CAMMENGA
AND ASSOCIATES, LLC REQUEST FOR WITHHOLDING INFORMATION
FROM PUBLIC DISCLOSURE

Dear Mr. Karchon:

Cammenga and Associates, LLC (Cammenga) submitted an affidavit dated November 1, 2016, executed by Mr. Christopher J. Karchon, requesting that the information provided in application dated November 1, 2016, to amend Sealed Source and Device Registration Certificate and Exempt Distribution License be withheld from public disclosure pursuant to Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR) 2.390.

The affidavit stated that per §2.390(b)(4), Cammenga is requesting that all of the information be withheld from public disclosure for the following reasons: (1) the proprietary information is the property of Cammenga and has not been made available to the public. The proprietary information has been held in confidence by Cammenga since its inception and continues to remain confidential; (2) the proprietary information is of a type customarily held in confidence by Cammenga; (3) the proprietary information is neither available in public sources nor generally known in the public domain. After careful and extensive research, Cammenga found no comparable methodologies or patentable processes. Thereafter, Cammenga classified its developments as trade secrets and held the proprietary information as proprietary and as trade secrets; and (4) public disclosure of the proprietary information is highly likely to cause substantial harm to Cammenga's competitive position because it will permit competitors to create similar products and either reduce or foreclose future business opportunities.

We have reviewed your application and the material in accordance with the requirements of 10 CFR 2.390 and, on the basis of your statements, have determined that the submitted information sought to be withheld contains proprietary commercial information and should be withheld from public disclosure.

Therefore, Cammenga and Associates, LLC information submitted in your application dated November 1, 2016, marked as "Proprietary Information" will be withheld from public disclosure pursuant to 10 CFR 2.390(b)(5) and Section 103(b) of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended. Withholding from public inspection shall not affect the right, if any, of persons properly and directly concerned to inspect the documents.

If the basis for withholding this information from public inspection should change in the future such that the information could then be made available for public inspection, you should promptly notify the NRC. You also should understand that the NRC may have cause to review this determination in the future, for example, if the scope of a Freedom of Information Act request includes your information. In all review situations, if the NRC makes a determination adverse to the above, you will be notified of the date of public disclosure, in advance which will be a reasonable time thereafter.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (301) 415-7138, or by e-mail at Tomas.Herrera@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,

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Tomas Herrera, Team Leader
Materials Safety Licensing Branch
Division of Material Safety, State, Tribal
and Rulemaking Programs
Office of Nuclear Material Safety
and Safeguards

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