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

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Picker Corporation
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Gentlemen:

Enclosed is Certificate of Compliance No. 5796, Revision No. 1, for the Models Nos. 181375 and 181361 shipping packages. This certificate supersedes, in its entirety, Certificate of Compliance No. 5796, Revision No. 0, dated December 19, 1975.

Changes made to the enclosed certificate are indicated by vertical lines in the margin.

Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock and Lawrence Livermore Laboratory have been registered as users of these packages under general license provisions of 10 CFR §71.12(b) or 49 CFR §173.393a.

This approval constitutes authority to use these packages for shipment of radioactive material and for the packages to be shipped in accordance with the provisions of 49 CFR §173.393a.

Please note that Section 71.12 of 10 CFR Part 71 was amended October 18, 1977 to require as a condition of the general license provisions an approved quality assurance (QA) program. In that you did not file a QA program by January 1, 1979, the authorization to deliver licensed material to a carrier for transport under Section 71.12 of 10 CFR Part 71 has terminated. Accordingly, we have deleted you as a user of all NRC approved package designs. It will be

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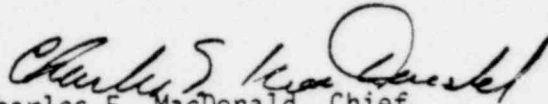
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necessary for you to obtain an approved QA program prior to the registration as a package user or the delivery of licensed material to a carrier for transport pursuant to 10 CFR Part 71.

Sincerely,


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Material Safety

Enclosure: As stated

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