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NOTE TO: Jim Partlow
FROM: Ray Jackson
THRU: Ron Brightsen
SUBJECT: LICENSE STATUS MEMO

This memo shall serve to transfer the review responsibility for the Westinghouse - Columbia low enriched uranium fuel fabrication facility from R. Jackson to E. McAlpine. The transfer includes all files which I consider as being up-dated and in order.

Outstanding Issues:

There are no "open cases" for which the licensee is owed a response by the MCL Branch. There is one issue for which the licensee owes the MCL Branch a response.

- (1) In our letter of April 30, 1979, by which the licensee's 70.57 Plan was accepted (supplemented by appropriate license conditions), we stated in the 4th paragraph "that the degree of standards verification (power of the test) is not adequately addressed in Section 4.2.1(c) of your Plan. Therefore, we request that you submit, within six months of the date of this letter, an assessment of the potential magnitude of ID bias due to the degree of verification that you currently perform on each reference standard."

Upcoming:

- (1) The licensee is attempting to combine the material required by 10 CFR 70.51(g) and 10 CFR 70.58(1) - Reference our letter of June 8, 1979 and the licensee's letter with attachment of August 17, 1979.
- (2) The licensee is expanding his plant at Columbia to facilitate a system for uranium recovery from scrap by solvent extraction. Preliminary plans call for the operation to begin by the end of 1979.

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OFFICE	In our letter to the licensee dated April 4, 1979, we state in the 2nd paragraph, "Appropriate revised pages to your FIMC Plan (70.51 & 70.52) and the Material Measurement Control Plan (70.57) must be reviewed and approved by this office prior to start-up of the referenced operation
SURNAME	uranium recovery from scrap by solvent extraction. Particular emphasis
DATE	shall be placed on the affect the new operation will have on the Plant

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In another letter to the licensee dated May 25, 1979 regarding scrap accumulation, the same general statement is made.

• Area of Concern:

As a result of the Plans required by 10 CFR 70.51(g), 70.57(c) and 70.58(1) being unincorporated, one has the feeling of fragmentation when attempting to locate information pertaining to questions from Safeguard staff members. The Plans need to be up-dated and consolidated by the licensee at the first feasible date to more accurately describe his current operations and procedures.

I will be pleased to cooperate, to the best of my ability, in the orderly transfer of responsibility.

Respectfully submitted,

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R. L. Jackson

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