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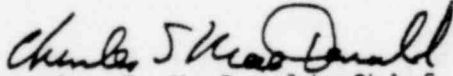
Gentlemen:

This refers to your application dated February 26, 1980 requesting approval of your Quality Assurance (QA) program as meeting the QA program requirements of 10 CFR §71.51.

In connection with our review, we require a commitment under "Inspection, Test and Operating Status" that such status will be controlled by written procedures. The second paragraph of Item 3 (OP-168) should be revised to require that all radioactive material shipping packages procured since January 1, 1979 are designed and manufactured under a QA program approved by the NRC. Please submit seven copies of your revised pages within 30 days following receipt of this letter or provide an alternative for our evaluation.

If you have any questions regarding this request, please contact Mr. Jack Spraul at (301) 492-7741.

Sincerely,

  
Charles E. MacDonald, Chief  
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