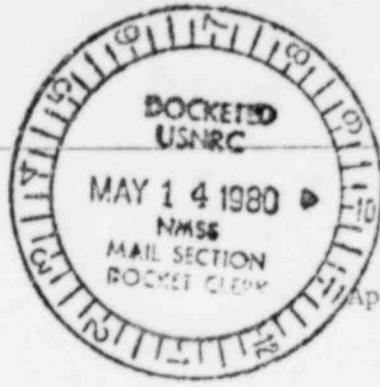


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Mr. Charles E. MacDonald, Chief  
Transportation Certification Branch  
Division of Fuel Cycle and  
Material Safety  
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, D. C. 20555

Dear Mr. MacDonald:

I request a change in Certificate of Compliance Number 6400, revision 8, Docket Number 71-6400. The certificate specifies, in four instances in section 5.(b)(1)(iv), the use of PVC bagging material in the preparation of plutonium waste. I am unable to identify a supplier of PVC bagging material of the thickness required, however, other plastic materials are available. Changing the term "PVC" to "plastic" would alleviate this problem with no reduction in safety.

Please change the term "PVC" to "plastic" in the following locations:

- 5(b)(1)(iv), paragraph 3, first line.
- 5(b)(1)(iv)(A) line 4
- 5(b)(1)(iv)(B), first paragraph, line 2.
- 5(b)(1)(iv)(B), third paragraph, line 3.

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I am attaching a check in the amount of \$150.00 to cover the administrative fee associated with this action.

If you have any questions regarding this request, please call me.

Yours very truly,

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