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Attention:

Mr. W. T. Crow, Section Leader

Uranium Fuel Fabrication Section

Fuel Processing and Fabrication Branchmount/Fee Category / No. 16.

Reference:

Docket 70-1359 SNM 1405

Gentlemen:

IRT Corporation's present SNM License 1405 expires April 30. 1980. It was extended last year from 21 March 1979 to the present expiration date in anticipation of IRT moving to new facilities and submitting renewal application prior to the relocation.

Circumstances, both economic and logistic, have delayed the relocation plans. The license renewal is due at this time and is in the process of being completed as it applies to our present facilities and operations.

The relocation schedule at this time calls for the facility to be completed July, 1981 with relocation of our Torrey Pines operations immediately thereafter and our Convoy Court operations within the following month.

IRT Corporation requests extension of its present license expiration date for a short term period of forty-five days to allow timely submission of a renewal application for the present facilities and operations, followed by an amendment covering the new faci'ity, or a long term period of 18 months to allow submission of an appropriate application for the relocated operations.

With respect to our operations and license category it should be noted that IRT's license category has been established as 1G and 1J in accordance with the possession and use limits but we have always operated in the realm of 1J (350 g U-235 in unsealed form). The reneval application in process specifies these limits and the license (new or amended) for the new facility will also specify these limits.

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In accordance with cateogry 1G this amendment, extention of the expiration date, constitutes an administrative amendment and requires a fee of \$150.00. A check for this amount is enclosed.

In the interim IRT Corporation will proceed with the renewal application in progress. If you have any questions please call Mr. K. L. Crosbie at (714) 565-7171, Ext. 378.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Yours truly,

IRT CORPORATION

Robert L. Mertz President

Encl.