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Amersham Corporation
ATTN: Bryan W. Baker, Ph.D.
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Gentlemen:

This refers to your letter dated July 6, 1989 requesting a refund of the \$150 fee submitted with your March 31, 1989 request for a six-month extension of Certificate of Compliance No. 9163.

Section 170.12(a) of 10 CFR Part 170, copy enclosed, provides that application fees will be charged irrespective of the Commission's disposition of the application or a withdrawal. If, however, the Commission receives an application accompanied by a fee and it is withdrawn prior to the staff commencing its review, the fee would be refunded. Since the Licensing staff reviewed (and denied) your request for an extension, the fee is not refundable.

Similarly, the \$150 fee paid for your June 8, 1988 renewal request is not refundable since the Licensing staff reviewed the application and requested additional information, which has not been submitted.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please let us know.

Sincerely,

/s/

C. James Holloway, Jr., Chief
License Fee Management Branch
Division of Accounting and Finance
Office of the Controller

Enclosure:
10 CFR 170

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