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CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. William T. Russell, Regional Administrator Nuclear Regulatory commission, Region I 475 Allendale Road King of Prussia, Pennsylvania 19406

RE: Proceedings Recorded July 6, 1989

Dear Mr. Russell:

As you know USR Industries, Inc., USR Lighting, Inc., USR Chemicals, Inc., USR Metals, Inc. and U.S. Natural Resources, Inc. ("These Respondents") presently are without counsel to represent them before the NRC due to the withdrawal of Hannoch Weisman because of inability of These Respondents to pay the substantial legal fees due in connection with environmental and related insurance litigation.

On behalf of These Respondents the undersigned acknowledges receipt on September 18, 1989 of a draft transcript of proceedings held July 6, 1989 in King of Prussia, Pennsylvania. These Respondents understand that Mr. Patrick Nucciarone of Hannoch Weisman previously requested additional materials. In any event, this constitutes the specific request on behalf of These Respondents for the tape recordings of the proceedings.

8911090189 891102 REG1 SUBJ PDC These Respondents did not take extensive notes at the proceeding because it was being tape recorded. They are not able to review your draft transcript except by comparing it to the tape recordings of the proceedings made that day at King of Prussia. Accordingly, These Respondents request that a true and accurate copy of such tape recordings be provided as soon as possible.

Very truly yours,

Ralph T. McElvenny, Jr., President For: USR Industries, Inc., USR Lighting, Inc., USR Chemicals, Inc., USR Metals, Inc. and U.S. Natural Resources, Inc.

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