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Gentlemen:

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Subject: Meteorological Analysis of Incinerator Stack Discharge and Validation of Environmental Air Sampling Station Locations

This refers to your letter dated August 29, 1989, in response to our letter dated July 25, 1989.

Thank you for providing the additional information on your environmental air sampling program, incinerator ash analysis, automatic medical pathological waste monitoring system and your considerations for maintaining all your airborne radioactive material releases at ALARA levels. These programs will be examined during a future inspection of your licensed program.

As discussed by Dr. Josephine Piccone of this office with members of your staff, the information provided in your letter dated July 25, 1989 with enclosures is also being reviewed for inclusion in your pending license renewal.

Your cooperation with us is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By MALCOLM R. KNAPP

Malcolm R. Knapp, Director Division of Radiation Safety and Safeguards

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