Administrative Judge Peter B. Bloch Presiding Officer Atomic Safety and Licensing Board U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission

PETITION OF DONALD W. WALLACE FOR LEAVE TO INTERVENE AS A PARTY

In the Matter of

ROCKWELL INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION Rocketdyne Division

(Special Material License Number SNM21) Docket 70-25

Request to Renew For One Year

ASLBP No. 89-594-01-ML

Dear Judge Bloch,

In response to your notice and order on the amended petition referenced above, I hereby petition in writing to intervene in the proceedings to consider the renewal request. I made a verbal request to intervene at both the limited appearance session on September 28, 1989, and at the prehearing conference on September 29, 1989.

STANDING

I clearly meet the standards for intervening as a party. I own twelve acres of undeveloped property within two miles of the Santa Susana Field Laboratory. I work as a Fire Captain for 56 hours a week at a fire station just over five miles from the site, and I live less than ten miles from the site. My physical and psychological health and safety, and my economic interests will be directly affected by the outcome of the licensing proceedings. If the license is granted my property values could be adversely affected by limiting the number of potential buyers to those who choose to disregard the disclosure of hazards required by California law. My psychological health will be adversely affected by my close proximity to a facility handling deadly radioactive materials which are subject to the NRC license. My physical health could be affected by exposure to releases of those licensed radioactive materials through inhalation of airborne particles or in estion of contaminated surface or ground water, or through currently unknown or unforeseen circumstances.

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AREAS OF CONCERN

At the prehearing conference you said that I would be granted party status, upon written request, for my stated concern regarding the applicants misleading and deceptive statements contained in the application in the "ON-SITE RADIOLOGICAL CONTINGENCY PLAN FOR ROCKWELL INTERNATIONAL OPERATIONS LICENSED UNDER SPECIAL NUCLEAR MATERIAL LICENSE NO. SNM-21" dated July 25, 1988, and revised May 19, 1989. You made my charges and the extracts which I handed you a part of the permanent record and I ask that those be incorporated into this petition by reference. I repeat that I will present evidence that the Contingency Plan contained false and deceptive statements designed to mislead the NRC.

I also stated my concern at the prehearing conference about the issue of worker health and safety. As the former president of a trade union in a particularly hazardous job, I have particular concern for the health and safety of workers. In my review of the application I noted that both engineered devices and written programs are outdated and inadequate to protect either employees or the public. I will present documentary you with evidence to support this charge.

I am also concerned about transportation hazards associated with licensed materials, the dramatic increase in population surrounding and near the site, and the adequacy of monitoring and security of licensed materials.

In view of the foregoing considerations, I respectfully request party status to the proceedings for License No. SNM-21.

Respectfully.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing PETITION OF DONALD W. WALLACE FOR LEAVE TO INTERVENE have been served upon the following persons by U.S. mail, first class, except as otherwise noted, and in accordance with the requirements of 10 CFR Sec. 2.712.

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Dated at Calabasas, CA. this 22 day of November 1989

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