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In Reply  
Refer To: SHP-2008

Mr. Charles MacDonald, Chief  
Transportation Branch  
Division of Fuel Cycle and Material Safety  
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20555

Subject: Docket 71-9034, Application for Administrative Amendment. (7 copies)

Dear Mr. MacDonald:

General Atomic Company makes application for amendment to Certificate of Compliance #9034 to allow the substitution of a revised drawing. The revision is necessary because current DOT regulations require new wording on the package label which is inconsistent with that prescribed of the currently referenced package drawing.

We request that the Certificate of Compliance section 5(a)(3) be amended to read "The packaging...drawing #TOS396C161, Rev. A."

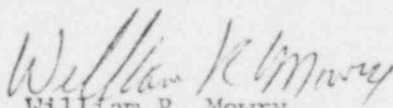
This amendment will allow GAC to use packages fabricated with current DOT required labeling and marking.

Please note that the revised drawing also has deleted note 1, modified note 3 to remove paint color specificity, and added a note calling for a cleanliness criteria for the inner container to assure that packaged fuel elements are not damaged in shipment. None of these matters have any significant adverse impact on the package quality or material safety.

We conclude that this amendment is necessary for administrative reasons only and have accordingly enclosed a check for \$150.00 to cover cost of processing such an amendment.

We look forward to your early issuance of the amended Certificate of Compliance.

Very truly yours,



William R. Mowry  
Licensing Administrator  
Nuclear Materials Control Division

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Enclosures: (1) Check for \$150.  
(2) Drawing #TOS396C160, Rev. A.

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