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August 13, 1980

Mr. J. Philip Stohr, Chief Fuel Facility and Materials Safety Branch Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region II 101 Marietta St., N.W., Suite 3100 Atlanta, Georgia 30303

> RE: RII:WWP 45-15262-02/80-01

Dear Mr. Stohr:

This is in response to your letter dated August 5, 1980 and in compliance with Section 2.201 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice". With regard to Item A of the Notice of Violation, the following is submitted for your review:

- A leak test was performed and submitted to Troxler for analysis on July 23, 1980, the date of the inspection. The leak test analysis showed no leakage from the sealed sources. A copy of the Certification is attached.
- 2) Leak test packages for the next four tests (24 months) have been purchased from Troxler. The prepaid mailers simplify the procedure for leak testing. Future leak tests will be conducted at the required time intervals.
- Full compliance was attained July 28, 1980, the date of the leak test certification.

I trust this submittal complies the Notice of Violation. Sowever, should you need additional information or should you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

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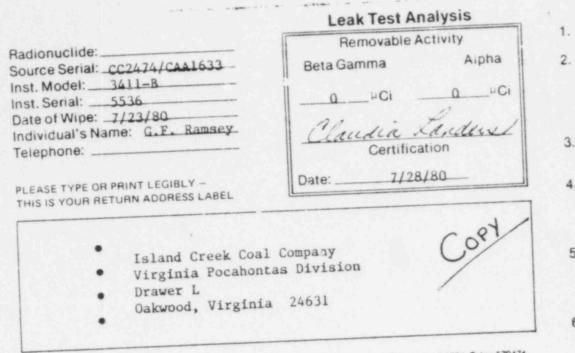
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NOTES

- Follow procedures as defined in your leak test kit instructions.
 Fill out this form and the bag label with required information where applicable. Seal the filter paper in the plastic bag. Place
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- Removable activity will be reported in µCi. A value of "0" indicates less than .00005 µCi.

the plastic bag and this form in

the pre-addressed envelope.

- Federal and state regulations require that sealed sources be removed from service and reports filed if removable activity is greater than .005 µCi.
- Due to the potential hazard, Troxler recommends that an additional wipe be made if removable activity exceeds .0005 µCi.
- You will be notified by telephone collect if the test yields greater than .001 µCi removable activity.