

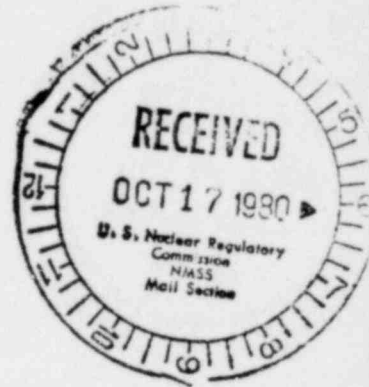
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October 10, 1980

Mr. John Linihan
 Nuclear Regulatory Commission
 7915 Eastern Avenue
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Dear Mr. Linihan:

RE: DECOMMISSIONING OF HYDRO-JET MILL SOURCE MATERIAL LICENSE
 SUA 1013, Docket No.: 40-7869

On Wednesday, October 8, 1980, U. K. Gupta, Jay Davis and I met with Mr. Roy Person of your Branch. The topic of discussion was decommissioning the old Hydro-Jet mill site in Shootering Canyon, Utah.

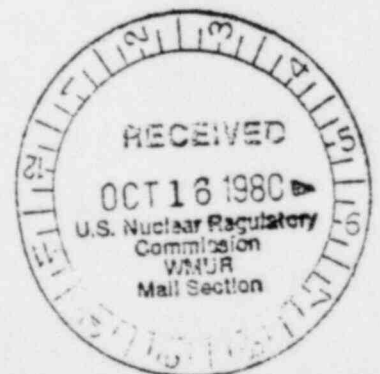
As you know Mr. Person is currently reviewing site data as part of the process of developing proposed conditions for final mill decommissioning. Plateau believes it would be beneficial if Mr. Person could make an onsite visit prior to developing decommissioning conditions.

The old mill site is relatively unique in that much of the area contains surface facilities associated with a sizable underground uranium mine. A site visit would allow Mr. Person the opportunity to see what action has been taken toward decommissioning and what further actions would be meaningful and appropriate.

An additional benefit is that this would allow Mr. Person to visit Plateau's Shootering Canyon Ore Processing Facility (SUA 1371) that is located about 5 miles south of the old Hydro-Jet mill site. Plateau has submitted an amendment application for the new mill and a site visit would aid in reviewing this application.

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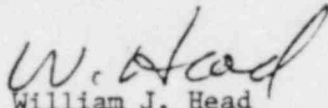
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Plateau understands that travel budget constraints tend to preclude site visits. However, under the circumstances a visit is appropriate.

Sincerely,


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