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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
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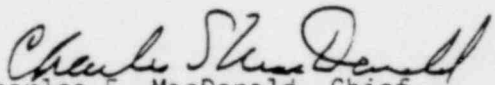
Gentlemen:

This refers to your application dated August 25, 1980 requesting an amendment to the Model No. T-3 shipping cask approval.

Either demonstrate that each of the seven fissile contents (single package only) will remain subcritical within the eight-inch diameter cavity or that the seven contents remain intact, under accident conditions.

Please advise us within thirty (30) days from the date of this letter when this information will be provided. The additional information requested by this letter should be submitted in the form of revised pages. If you have any questions regarding this matter, we would be pleased to meet with you and your staff.

Sincerely,


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