

January 23, 1981

Mr. J. DelMedico  
Materials Branch  
Division of Fuel Cycle and Material Safety  
United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, D. C. 20555

Dear Mr. DelMedico:

As per our discussion today, January 23, 1981, regarding the two items noted by Dr. L. F. Friedman of the NRC I & E Branch, Region I, during his inspection on January 9, 1981 to confirm our facility decontamination survey results, the following actions have been taken:

1. Nonremovable radioactive contamination found on Q.C. fume hood work surface.

Although the contamination found, (identified to be Cs-137) is within NRC guidelines for release for unrestricted use, we have removed the contaminated section of the hood work surface and placed it in a 55 gallon drum for shipment as dry radioactive waste.

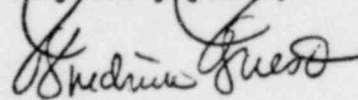
2. 5 bottles of Thorium Nitrate solution found in Q.C. Lab.

The 5 bottles containing exempt quantities of Thorium were removed from the Q.C. Lab immediately following Dr. Friedman's inspection and properly packaged for shipment as absorbed liquid radioactive waste.

Arrangements have been made with our regular radioactive waste agent, Radiac Research Inc., of Brooklyn, NY for removal of the above materials from our site on January 28, 1981.

We thank you for your attention and assistance in this matter.

Very truly yours,



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