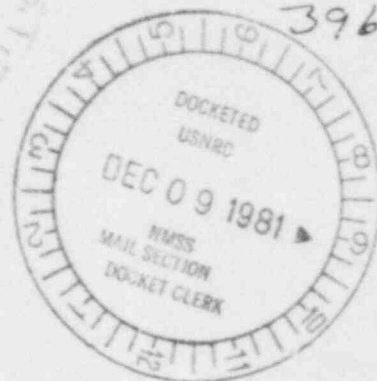




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Mr. Charles E. MacDonald, Chief  
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Washington, D. C. 20555

Dear Mr. MacDonald:

SUBJECT: REVIEW OF SHIPPING CONTAINER, MODEL NO. R1010-0032, CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE NO. 6115

Reference: Memorandum, MacDonald to Ross, dated October 23, 1981

The referenced memorandum requested additional information for the subject review and also wanted to know when this would be provided to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC).

We have been advised by Argonne National Laboratory (ANL), that the earliest the material can be provided is by July 1, 1982. The delay is based on estimates of time to solicit technical assistance, and to establish a funding source for needed assistance. This has been discussed between Robert Elder of my staff and William Lake of your staff.

Sincerely,

*Robert H. Bauer*  
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cc: D. M. Ross, Office of Operational Safety, HQ  
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