MEMORANDUM FOR: Brenda Shelton, Chief October 25, 1990

Information & Records Management Branch Division of Information Support Services Office of Information Resources Management

FROM:

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SUBJECT:

TRANSFER OF OFFICIAL DOCKET FILE--DOCKET 40-2061 KERR-McGEE CHEMICAL CORPORATION'S WEST CHICAGO RARE EARTHS FACILITY TO THE STATE OF ILLINOIS

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission has approved an amendment to the Agreement with the State of Illinois under which the State will assume regulatory authority over uranium and thorium mills and mill tailings. The amended agreement will become effective on November 1, 1990. The Illinois Department of Nuclear Safety will be the State agency responsible for administering the regulatory program.

Kerr-McGee Chemical Corporation's West Chicago Rare Earths Facility (Docket No. 40-2061) official docket file should be transferred to:

Mr. Steve Collins, Chief Division of Radioactive Material Office of Radiation Safety Illinois Department of Nuclear Safety 1035 Outer Park Drive Springfield, Illinois 62704

The file transfer should be coordinated with Mr. Steve Collins (217-785-9935) or Mr. Joe Klinger (217-785-9930) of the Illinois Department of Nuclear Safety, and should be completed ovember 1, 1990.

If you have any questio. we can be of additional assistance, please feel free to contact Keith McL....el (492-3448) or Florence Brown (492-0605) of my staff. Thank you and Wayne Davis of your staff for coordinating this transfer.

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Charles J. Haughney, Chief Fuel Cycle Safety Branch Division of Industrial and Medical Nuclear Safety Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards

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