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January 11, 1994

Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Mr. Robert C. Pierson, Chief
Licensing Branch
Division of FCSS
Mail Stop MS4E4
Washington, DC 20555

RE: COMBINED RENEWAL APPLICATION FOR SMB-920 AND
SMC-1562

Dear Mr. Pierson:

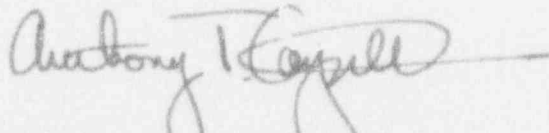
Per my phone conversation with Richard Milstein concerning the submittal of the aforementioned license application, Cabot Performance Materials has been requested to send a letter addressing the fact that the application has been delayed.

While the submission of the application was originally scheduled for the end of December 1993, it is apparent that this timeframe will not be met. We feel that the major reasons which contributed to the failure to meet the previously scheduled date were a combination of confusion surrounding the split license issue and the amount of information requiring modification from the last application. In addition, word processing time had become limited due to excess vacation time being taken near the holidays.

With the bulk of the issues clarified, we feel that the application should be complete near the end of January 1994. Once complete, six (6) copies of the application will be submitted to your office.

Should you have any questions, or require additional information, please call me at your convenience.

Yours truly,



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