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Expired License No. SUB-908

Vistron Corporation
ATTN: R. C. Shower, Supervisor
Manufacturing Control and
Office Services

Fort Amanda Road Post Office Box 628 Lima, Ohio 45802

Gentlemen:

This refers to the special inspection conducted by N. A. Nicholson of this office on July 12-16 and 26, 1982, of activities at Vistron Corporation, Lima, Ohio, authorized by expired License No. SUB-908 and to the discussion of our findings with R. C. Shower at the close of the inspection and July 26, 1982.

The office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards (NMSS), NRC, acting on Vistron's request for license termination, contracted with Oak Ridge Associated Universities (ORAU) to determine the radiological status of the site. The inspector accompanied the ORAU survey team to observe the site and take independent measurements. The inspection also included selective examination of procedures and representative records, and interviews with site personnel.

No items of noncompliance with NRC requirements were identified during the inspection.

ORAU's preliminary results indicate residual contamination in the Catalyst Plant and Warehouse, Acrylonitrile Plant 1, in the incinerator area northwest of Acrylonitrile Plant 1, and in the Burning Pond. Final results will be contained in an ORAU draft report currently scheduled for issuance in the fourth quarter of 1982. Final determination regarding facility release status will be made by NMSS. The cognizant individual regarding this matter is Bernice Kosla (301/427-4510).

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the Commission's regulations, a copy of this letter and the enclosed inspection report will be placed in the NRC's Public Document Room. If this report contains any information that you (or your contractors) believe to be exempt from disclosure under 10 CFR 9.5(a)(4), it is necessary that you (a) notify this office by telephone within ten (10)

days from the date of this letter of your intention to file a request for withholding; and (b) submit within twenty-five (25) days from the date of this letter a written application to this office to withhold such information. If your receipt of this letter has been delayed such that less than seven (7) days are available for your review, please notify this office promptly so that a new due date may be established. Consistent with Section 2.790(b)(1), any such application must be accompanied by an affidavit executed by the owner of the information which identifies the document or part sought to be withheld, and which contains a full statement of the reasons which are the bases for the claim that the information should be withheld from public disclosure. This section further requires the statement to address with specificity the considerations listed in 10 CFR 2.790(b)(4). The information sought to be withheld shall be incorporated as far as possible into a separate part of the affidavit. If we do not hear from you in this regard within the specified periods noted above, a copy of this letter and the enclosed inspection report will be placed in the Public Document Room.

We will gladly discuss any questions you have concerning this inspection.

Sincerely,

C. J. Paperiello, Chief Emergency Preparedness and Program Support Branch

Enclosure: Inspection Report No. 04007604/82-01(DEPOS)

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