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ENVIROCARE OF UTAH, INC.
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February 18, 1994

Mr. Joseph J. Holonich, Acting Chief
Uranium Recovery Branch
United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

Subject: Notice of Intent of License Amendment
License No. SMC-1559

Dear Mr. Holonich:

Envirocare of Utah, Inc. ("Envirocare") hereby notifies the Nuclear Regulatory Commission ("NRC"), that Envirocare intends to amend License Condition 9.6(a). License Condition 9.6(a) requires that Envirocare submit for NRC review a trust agreement which meets the requirements of the Branch Technical Position ("BTP") on "Financial Assurances For Reclamation, Decommissioning, and Long-Term Surveillance and Control of Uranium Recovery Facilities." Envirocare has made a determination that the financial assurance required by 10 CFR Part 40, Appendix A, Criteria 9 and 10, will be in the form of a Letter of Credit with a Standby Trust, rather than the trust arrangement submitted as Appendix Q of the License Application.

Submitted with this notice of intent is a letter dated February 18, 1994, to Envirocare from First Interstate Bank ("FIB"). FIB states that they will issue the NRC a letter of credit on the terms stated and setup the standby trust when Envirocare notifies FIB that the language of the letter of credit and the standby trust have been approved by the NRC and Envirocare funds the letter of credit.

The language of the letter of credit and the standby trust conforms to the recommended language of the BTP, except that Envirocare has revised the second full paragraph of the letter of credit, as previously discussed with Tim Johnson of the NRC.

Envirocare requests that the NRC review the enclosed proposed language for the letter of credit and standby trust. Upon receiving written approval of the form of the documents, Envirocare will fund them, as required, and submit a formal license amendment for approval.

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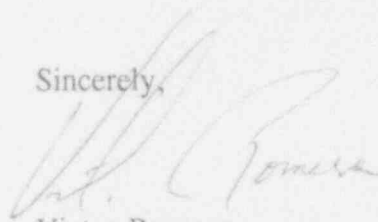
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Please contact George Hellstrom at 801-532-0920 or Victor Romero at 801-532-1330, if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Victor Romero".

Victor Romero
Controller
Envirocare of Utah, Inc.

Enclosures